

## HALL OF FAME

Tower yearbook will celebrate 10 award-winning years during a reunion to celebrate its induction into the ACP Hall of Fame.

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## ROLLER HOCKEY

A new sport is picking up speed in Maryville. Rollerblading is gaining its popularity throughout the city.

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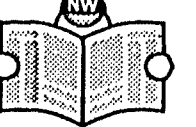


## 'QUIZ SHOW' FLOPS

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Reviewer thinks film, which centers around the game show scandals in the '50s, falls flat.

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## Homecoming traditions continue in '94

'Lights! Camera! Action!' theme influences variety show, floats, jalopies, house decs, festivities

By JASON CISPER  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

What three words best describe this year's Homecoming at Northwest? "Lights! Camera! Action!"

The Office of Public Relations and a student committee have coordinated events that they believe have something for everyone.

Homecoming was officially off to a rolling start with the variety show at 7 p.m. Wednesday. The show runs through Friday, with performances each night.

The second annual Ash Bash, sponsored by Student Senate, will take place following the variety show today in the parking lot west of the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center. KDLX will provide the music for the bonfire and Maryville's fire department will be there to watch the fire.

Individuals will have the opportunity to throw an object into the fire and tell a story about its significance. The most creative object will be awarded a prize, said Elise Sportsman, vice president of public relations for Student Senate.

Walkout Day on Friday traditionally brings an early end to weekly classes, but it also signals the true beginning of the Homecoming activities.

House decorations will be judged at 5 p.m. Friday and will remain on display throughout the weekend. For many organizations, the house decs represent an excellent opportunity to participate in the festivities.

"They're a lot of hard work, but in the end it's all worth it," Joe Kellogg, Alpha Kappa Lambda fraternity member, said.

Decorations displaying popular movies, as well as famous movie stars, are a main focal point.

According to Patrick Laster, Homecoming committee co-chair, there are 12 house decorations under construction. Many student organizations have combined forces to build the decorations.

Before beginning a full day of events, students can

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eat at the Homecoming Pancake breakfast from 7 to 9:30 a.m. Saturday in the area between Colden Pond and Martindale Gym. The cost is \$2.75 in advance or \$3 Saturday.

Another popular event among Northwest students is the parade Saturday. It is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m.

Nine floats, 11 jalopies, 23 bands, countless clowns and many other entries from organizations on and off campus are scheduled to appear in the parade.

The parade is only the beginning of a full day. An afternoon filled with Bearcat football rounds out the more popular events.

This year, the Bearcats will play the University of Missouri-Rolla at 2 p.m. Saturday at Rickenbrode Stadium.

Northwest's Booster Athletic Club, radio station KDLX and the Comfort Center of St. Joseph, Mo., are co-sponsoring a raffle they said is guaranteed to make temperatures rise.

Three winners will be given the opportunity to choose three of their closest friends and watch a portion of Saturday's game in a hot tub at the south end of the stadium. Bearcat Sweethearts will serve soft drinks and popcorn to the winners.

Raffle tickets cost \$1 and are available in the Spanish Den during the lunch hour and at the Variety Show prior to each performance.

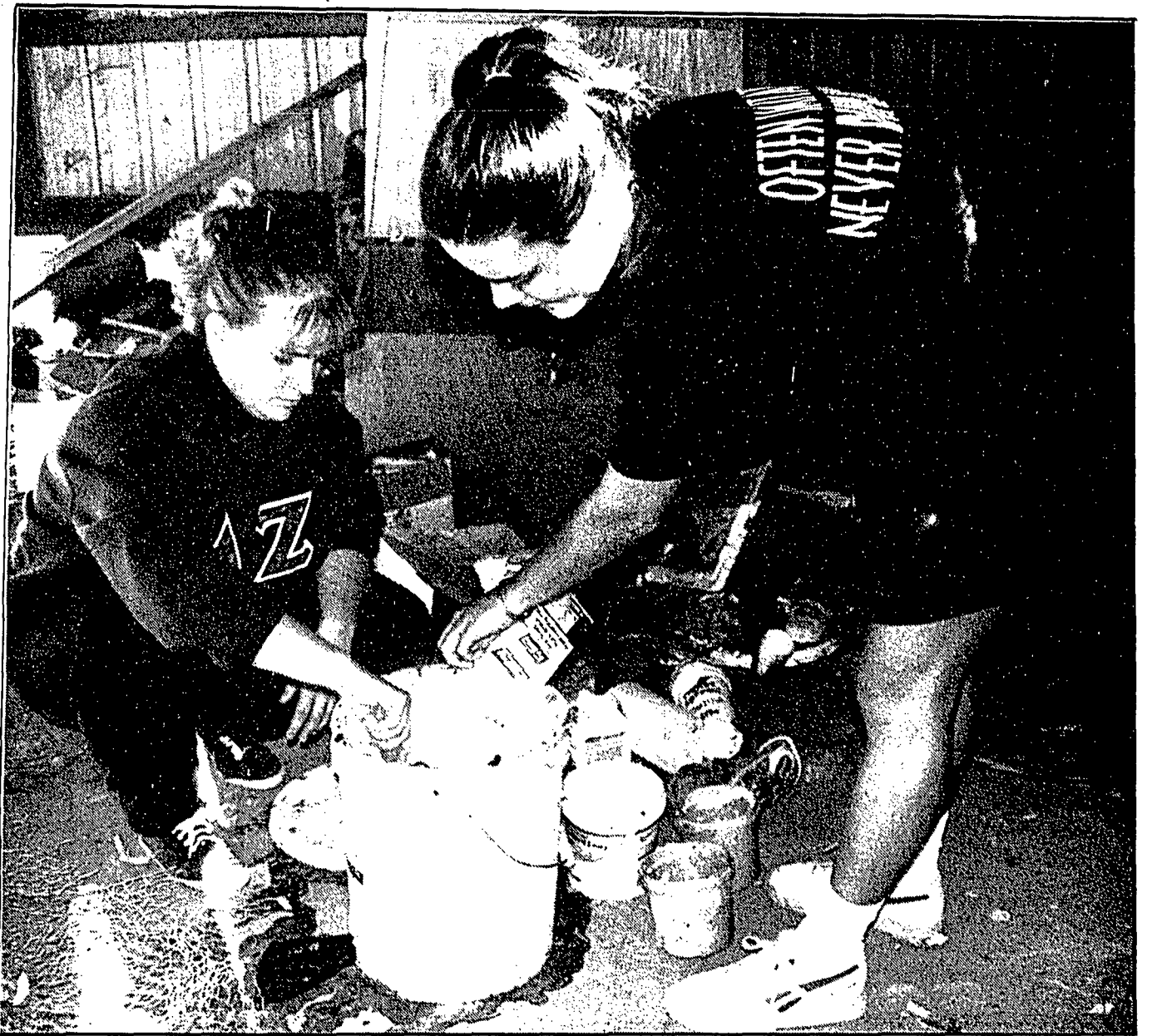
Saturday's game is highly important to the Bearcats as well.

According to head football coach Mel Tjeerdsma, this game is more important than most.

"I know Homecoming is a really big deal," Tjeerdsma said. "It will be a big game for us."

The Bearcats are hoping to make the Homecoming game their first win of the season, Tjeerdsma said.

Halftime will include the presentation of the 1994 Homecoming King and Queen and their courts, a marching band performance and the introduction of the newest members into the M-Club Hall of Fame.



KERRIE KELLY/Northwest Missourian

HEADING INTO THEIR last week before Homecoming, Lisa Delta Zeta float. Delta Zetas scheduled three all-nighters to ensure the float could be completed by Homecoming.

## Amendment 7 lawsuit loses in circuit court

By CHRIS TRIEBSCH  
CHIEF REPORTER

Proponents of Amendment 7 had reasons to be pleased Tuesday when a judge ordered the measure to stay on the Nov. 8 ballot and also changed some of the language in the amendment.

James McHenry, Cole County Circuit judge, denied a motion by opponents to strike the issue from the ballot on grounds that it covered too many subjects. Thomas Davis, Pettis County resident, filed the lawsuit.

McHenry said the person who filed the lawsuit failed to prove how the ballot issue was in conflict with the Missouri Constitution.

Earlier in the day, McHenry changed some of the ballot's language on the grounds that it was "insufficient" and "unfair." McHenry said it makes unwarranted predictions about program cuts.

The previous language estimated spending cuts of up to \$5 billion if the measure passes. Hancock supporters claimed the estimates were too high. The judge substituted language that says the financial effect cannot be determined.

"It wasn't surprising that we won," Thor Hearne, chairman of a committee that drafted the Hancock II measure, said. "We have been truthful. We know the only way they can win is to deceive and distort the truth."

Hearne said the new language is much more appropriate, but opponents disagree.

"People are going to understand this issue for what it is and that these cuts are going to occur," said Rodney Gray, director of the Committee to Protect Missouri's Future, a group campaigning against Amendment 7.

The chairman of the legislative committee that approved ballot wording were the people who estimated the annual cuts from \$1 billion to \$5 billion. They said the new wording will be immediately appealed to the Western District of the Court of Appeals.

"The cuts will be very real to all of the people in Missouri," Gray said.

"We believe Missourians need to be aware of the consequences of Amendment 7 in areas like education and public safety before they make a decision on this important issue. The cuts go far too deep," he said.

Another suit filed against Amendment 7 is pending.

### AMENDMENT 7 REWORDED

The last two sentences contained in Amendment 7 on the Nov. 8 ballot have been reworded. A Cole County Circuit judge ruled that the old wording was unfair.

#### Original Statement

"...This proposal would require state and local spending cuts ranging from \$1 billion to \$5 billion annually. Cuts would affect prisons, schools, colleges, programs for the elderly, job training, highways, public health and other services."

#### New Statement

"...Savings or cost to government cannot be determined. Special taxes approved by voters in the past are likely to trigger refunds to income taxpayers at the expense of other state programs and other taxpayers."

## Campus does not earn quality award

By DERRICK BARKER  
EDITOR IN CHIEF

The Board of Overseers for the Missouri Quality Award accepted the recommendation of the judges Friday that two awards be given this year, but Northwest will not be one of the recipients.

Judges also decided not to give the award to any educational institution.

Gov. Mel Carnahan will announce the winners Thursday at an awards ceremony in Jefferson City. Until then, the University will have to wait to receive feedback from the judges.

Although the news was a disappointment, the feedback will provide an opportunity to learn how to improve quality, according to University President Dean Hubbard.

"We have learned a lot from the experience," Hubbard said. "We will improve because we believe in continuous quality improvement."

The University is expected to receive feedback in two or three weeks, Hubbard said.

Patt VanDyke, who served as chair of Customer Focus and Satisfaction, said winning the award was not the primary reason for applying.

"We didn't go into it to win," VanDyke said. "We went in for the process and the feedback. The award would have been an added bonus."

The knowledge gained from the experience will likely prompt the University to apply for the award next year. The category chairs have already started planning for next year's application, Hubbard said.

David Oehler, who served as chair of Information and Analysis, said the chances of winning the award next year are favorable.

"We've been through the process already so we now know what to expect," Oehler said.

Although it was the first year the University applied for the Missouri Quality Award, Oehler said Northwest could have won the award this year.

"At first, I wasn't really sure we had a shot," he said. "But after going through the process and the site visit, I thought we could really win. If it would have been anybody in education, it would have probably been us."

Northwest applied for the award in the spring. After judges evaluated the applicants, a site team visited the in September campus for further evaluation.

Its purpose was to observe the University's approach to quality, its deployment and its results.

The Missouri Quality Award is modeled after the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award, an award that recognizes U.S. companies that excel in quality management and achievement.

Educational institutions will be eligible for the Baldrige Award in 1995.



INDIRA EDWARDS/Northwest Missourian

ROBERT BARTMAN, MISSOURI commissioner of education, informs the public about the possible threat Amendment 7 could have on the state.

## Commissioner of education speaks to teachers, students

By JULIET MARTIN  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

Amendment 7 and its possible threat to Missouri education was part of the focus of a Regional Educational Conference in Maryville Tuesday.

Robert Bartman, Missouri commissioner of education, discussed proposed state-wide educational standards and the impact of the constitutional amendment on education at Maryville High School.

Amendment 7 was launched, in part, as a response to the Outstanding Schools Act passed by the legislature in 1993.

The act was a measure to set up programs to keep students in high school. It called for a number of school reforms, including funding for full-day kindergarten, providing additional resources in schools and helping to reduce class size.

Bartman said he has already noticed improvements in Missouri education because of the Outstanding Schools Act.

"ACT scores in Missouri are up compared to the national average," he said. "If we are only as good as we were yesterday, we are not going to be

good enough for the 21st century."

However, U.S. Rep. Mel Hancock, author of Hancock II, claimed the act violated the original Hancock Amendment he sponsored in 1980.

In response to the new amendment, those attending the conference were principals, teachers, parents and students, some of whom are fearful of the possible effects of Amendment 7.

"My biggest concern with Amendment 7 is it is so vague and unclear," Debbie Murphy, a principal in St. Joseph, Mo., said. "We don't really know what we'll be voting for."

Bartman took a strong stand against Amendment 7 at the conference.

"Many school districts will go out of business, especially small schools without huge balances that rely on state funding," Bartman said.

The commissioner also fears for higher education in Missouri.

"This amendment would have a disastrous impact on higher education," Bartman said. "The program quality would either deteriorate or institutions would have to charge students more money."

Many people opposed to Amendment 7 are concerned that the public is not totally informed on the issue.

## OUR VIEW

### Society should accept rape as violent act, not sexual deviance

His sentence is 180 days in jail, five years on probation and minimal fees.

Her sentence is a life of feeling shameful, withdrawn from society, distrustful and guilty all caused by him.

What is wrong with this picture is that the sentence does not justify the crime committed — in this case rape. When will society (and especially the judicial system) accept rape for the violent crime it is and not one that is just sexual in nature?

This sentence was handed down in a rape case last week involving a former Northwest student. Shane L. Johnson pled guilty to charges of a felony of forcible rape, a felony of forcible sodomy and a misdemeanor of sexual abuse in the third degree.

He will serve a mere 180 days in jail for the sexual abuse count. How can admitting the truth in this situation justify a shorter sentence?

The wording in the sentence alone should be evidence enough that a seriously violent crime has been committed. The word "forcible" suggests powerful and aggressive behavior for Johnson's part. Yet he will receive punishment comparable to a slap on the wrist. His sentence will be over and forgotten long before his victim's.

Until this type of crime is taken seriously and harsher sentences are given out, the victims will continue to hide the truth. Victims may feel as though coming forward with the truth is worthless because there is no guarantee that it will result in punishment.

A minimum sentence of one year would allow for stability. It might also encourage more victims to come forward knowing that their efforts are not in vain. They might have peace of mind in that they would be safe from their attacker for at least a year.

Because there are so many circumstances surround-

ing the outcome of rape cases, victims may believe they are better off remaining quiet. Victims need to be assured that something will be done about the crime.

One thing can be said for this case is that it did make it to court. Few rape cases actually make it to court because of the lack of evidence, according to "I Never Called It Rape" by Robin Warshaw.

More cases might make it to court if the crime is taken more seriously. When society begins to acknowledge rape as the growing, violent problem it is then maybe more cases will be brought to trial.

Why is our society enabling sick individuals to commit a violent crime against another and practically walk away, leaving only the victim to suffer the harsh blows of the crime?

The fact is rape is a violent crime that is not being handled as such. Rapists deserve severe punishment that involves more than a mere slap on the hand.

## CAMPUS VOICE

### What makes Homecoming special to you?

"There are two reasons. First, it's my birthday and second, it's a time to go out with friends, see the football game and have fun."

Sarah Derks

"It's the festivities that lead up to Homecoming (such as) the float building."

Joshua Craven

"The times spending with friends, meeting new people and the parties."

Lacey Wake

"First of all, you get a day off of school — that's the best part. It gets everyone excited and into it."

Kerry Risser

"I really don't care. It's just another weekend to me."

Marcus Nanka-Bruce

"The fact that I live with three football players and they have a home football game and I can attend it. Hopefully they'll end their losing streak."

Bob Knust

"All the parties that go on and not having classes on Friday."

Jane Taggart

"I'm not going to do anything special. I'm just going to sit in my room and study."

Braden Randall

"Homecoming — there are all the things that happen with the frats and sororities such as, house deck, floats, the parade and the parties."

Joe Kellogg

## MY TURN

### Students deserve a little respect



Regina Bruntmeyer  
Associate Editor

As a woman, I expect to experience the brunt of gender discrimination. I did not expect, however, to be treated differently because I am a college student.

I cannot count the number of times society fails to give college students the respect and credit they deserve.

All too often, the old stereotype of the student who goes to college to party and spend daddy's money surfaces.

What gives these people the right to judge me or treat me differently because I go to college?

College students already have enough difficulty trying to fit into society.

We don't quite fit into our families anymore. Because life at home has adapted to our absence. I miss fighting with my sister over who is going to wash the dishes, although when I eat at home, I claim to be exempt from dishes because I am a guest.

A guest in my own home? It sure feels that way.

Even my hometown is focused on the high school students that have replaced our generation.

Every once in a while the lady in the grocery store asks me how school is going. Before I have a chance to reply, she's on to the next customer.

On the same token, college students are not accepted as individual adults either. Yes, we still depend upon our parents to a certain extent, but we deserve credit for our individual accomplishments as well.

Maybe we don't own our homes, cars, or hold down a full-time job, but we are still contributing members of society.

Instead of families to raise, we have classes to attend, papers to write, chapters to read, meetings to prepare, all coupled with the responsibility of finding a way to pay for our education and manage our personal affairs.

Instead of jobs, our days begin early in the morning and often do not end until after 1 a.m. We spend our days in class, meetings, study groups and the library.

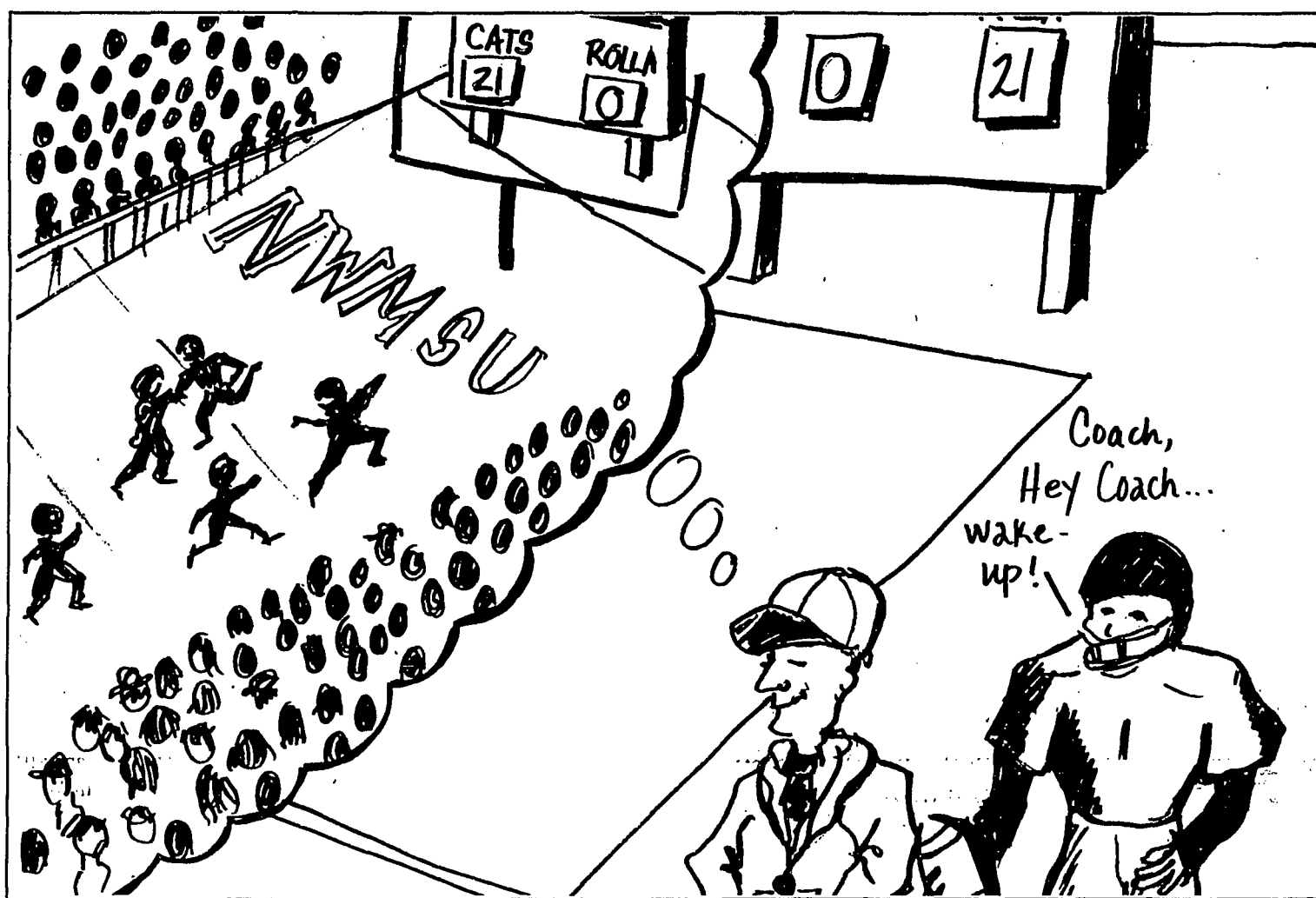
Yes, there are those students who live for the next party and skip their classes, but is it fair to judge every student by the same standards?

Many students realize the importance of an education and go the extra mile to do well in their classes, join outside organizations, work to build up a résumé and also work on community service projects.

Balancing a full class schedule and figuring out a way to pay the rent and water bill deserves recognition. I am not saying that every college student deserves respect, however, society must give credit to those who earn it because college is not easy.

We have financial worries, car troubles and no time to ourselves just like every other working adult.

Unless my actions are not in accordance to society's standards, I have the right to be treated as an individual.



## PURPOSE AND POLITICS

### Student Senate should end transitional dinner



Hawkeye Wilson  
Chief Staff

Reports conflict over questions of 'traditional' dinner

Two weeks ago, Student Senate addressed my concerns about the Executive Transitional Dinner in a letter to the editor.

They contended that the \$200 meal, with former President Trent Skaggs' administration and the present administration at Red Lobster in St. Joseph, had been a Senate tradition. However the facts seem to suggest otherwise.

Veteran Student Senate members said they never attended such a dinner. Both former Presidents Tom Vanshghi and Adam Seaman, 1990-91 and 1991-92 respectively, said they had never attended this dinner while they were in office.

Apparently the tradition is fairly new. Jenni Shug, 1992-93 president, started the tradition with her administration and Skaggs' administration. The cost for that dinner was \$400.

The Student Senate executive boards' submitted a list of 16 people who supposedly attended the dinner. However, five people named on the list said they were not in attendance at the dinner. They went so far as to submit statements stating this fact. Some tradition.

Although the present executive board cannot answer for all these actions, they should consider putting an end to this so-called tradition.

While the executive board says the dinner serves as a leadership technique, such a story would never stand up to the same scrutiny and criticism they dish out to organizations asking for money.

If students are not bothered by such an expense, they should at least be concerned with the way the dinner was recorded in the books.

When I first searched for the recording of the dinner, the accounting book I saw had been used for the last three years, including 1993-94. It was not recorded there.

Now another book, containing entries dating back to September 1993, is considered the official accounting book, and according to the executive board, had been used in the past.

The problem with this is it has Treasurer Kevin Spiels' handwriting throughout the accounting book. If it had been used by the previous administration, it should have contained former Treasurer P.J. Amys' handwriting.

Another problem is that when I searched for the transactions, I asked for the Student Senate accounting books. The one that the executive board claims is official was not present for my viewing.

Finally, the accounts correctly debiting the dinner were now included in the

proposed 1993-94 accounting book. The purchase order forms used to reimburse the dinner have numbers and are included below the accounts.

When I searched for the forms in their files, they were not included. How could the numbers be included if they were not in the accounting book used before?

The facts at hand seem to suggest that the executive board created a new accounting book.

Unfortunately, the executive board refuses to answer my questions. But, because they invite all students to voice their concerns in Senate, students should feel free to question their actions.

Ask President Jessica Elgin, Vice President Kevin Kooi, Spiels and Secretary Laura Stageman how they justify spending \$200 with Senate funds, reimbursed with student money, for a dinner for eight.

Ask them how the dinner directly benefits students. Ask them why the dinner is a tradition unknown to other Senate members.

Ask them why the accounting books, which are public information, are inconsistent. Ask them if anyone is foolish enough to believe them.

Finally, ask them if they enjoyed their lobster. After all, you paid for it.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### Greeks should not be blamed for mess around Union tables

Dear Editor,

I am writing in response to Lisa Richardson, who complained of the etiquette of certain Greek organizations.

You made it clear at the beginning of your letter that you do not have a hatred for Greeks.

I first would like to point out that you work in the Student Union, therefore, all students, independent or Greek, utilize this building.

On that note, maybe I am mistaken, but Greeks are not the only ones who eat there. In fact, we mainly sit at "our tables" during lunch, approximately between 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Therefore, the tables are usually occupied by other students during the other two meals

all seven days. That is a pretty small time space for us to make all of this trash build-up, don't you agree?

I am not going to deny that trash is left on the tables once in a while. This trash is not left there out of laziness, or a "someone gets paid to do this" attitude.

Most often it is left due to the overflowing garbage containers. We could just stack our disposals around the trash containers when they are too full, I have seen this happen many times. This would be so pleasant to clean, better than picking it up in a civilized manner off of a table!

I think the student workers do a good job of keeping the eating areas clean and I am not complaining of overflowing trash cans.

As for your etiquette classes, I am more than interested in what you have to say. The

personal attacks on Alpha Sigma Alpha, Phi Mu, Delta Chi and Tau Kappa Epsilon were not necessary nor appreciated.

The members of these organizations will make it to the real world, and throwing their trash away properly has nothing to do with it.

I think you have a chip on your shoulder that needs to be wiped off before the tables do, and if you have an opinion you would like to share with me, I am in the Union at the pigsty of a table where the Alphas sit, Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1 p.m.

Becky Butler  
Alpha Sigma Alpha

Clarification: In the Oct. 6 issue Lisa Richardson identified herself as a student custodial worker in a letter to the editor. She is an ARA employee.

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## U.S. 71 funding allows expansion to dual lanes

By KEITH RYDBERG  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

The Missouri Highway and Transportation Commission recently allocated \$56.4 million to widen U.S. Highway 71 into four lanes from Maryville to Interstate 29 north of St. Joseph.

The project began as a 15-month program in 1992 to promote economic development in towns of 5,000 people or more. Residents of Missouri will pay for this project with a 2 cent increase in their 1992, 1994 and 1996 taxes.

He said about 90 percent of the money has come from federal funding because of the passage of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act in 1992.

The act is a six-year federal bill that is scheduled to give funding to the Missouri Highway and Transportation Department.

"The department has never received total funding from (the act) and state funding has been paying for the remainder of the funds so far," Garry Chegwidzen, district highway engineer, said.

The total money allocated would be split four ways: \$10.7 million will expand Interstate 29 to U.S. Highway 59, Highway 59 in Andrew County to the Nodaway County line will cost \$21.9 million, while the area from the Nodaway County line to Pumpkin Center will cost \$11.3 million. The section from Pumpkin Center to Maryville will be approximately \$12.5 million.

The section of Highway 59 is scheduled to be started first, Chegwidzen said, with the preliminary contracting completed in the 1996 fiscal year and grating starting the next year. The section could be finished in the 1998-99 fiscal year. Chegwidzen said the entire project should be under contract by 2002.

City Manager David Angerer said the expansion will have positive effects on Maryville in terms of commerce.

"It will increase the daily traffic

**"There have been a lot of traffic accidents in the area and I feel that this will reduce the number that will happen in the future."**

Jim Morris  
Highway 71 traveler

flow so more people will be stopping for gas, to get something to eat, or just to check out the town," Angerer said.

"People aren't going to drive 60 miles off of the interstate to come to Maryville, but if they have a four-lane road, the chances will be a lot better (of tourists coming)."

Some students believe that the expansion would help Maryville.

"I think it will be a good thing for Maryville since it will probably build up the whole east side of town," Joshua Marr, Highway 71 traveler, said.

Other students, such as Jim Morris, who is an occasional traveler on Highway 71, applauded the expansion for its practical reasons.

"There have been a lot of traffic accidents in the area and I feel that this will reduce the number that will happen in the future," Morris said.

## WHERE'S THE CHICKENS, PA?



CHARICE DOUTHAT/Northwest Missourian

CONSTRUCTION IS CURRENTLY underway at Mazingo Recreational Area on a maintenance shed and an office for Ron Darnell, golf course superintendent. The building, which housed chickens around nine years ago, will be refurbished during the winter months. Extra offices may be added in the future.

## Shopping hours extend today

Chamber of Commerce unleashes Moonlight Madness for customers

By ANDREA FRIEDMAN  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

Shoppers can find greater bargains and convenience as stores stay open late for Maryville's annual Moonlight Madness sale today.

Many stores will stay open as late as 10 p.m. during the sale.

The event is sponsored by members of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce.

Moonlight Madness will offer many discounts to customers.

Clowns from St. Joseph's Shriners Club will be walking around the par-

### MOONLIGHT MADNESS

Maryville businesses will stay open later for Homecoming.

**When:** Today

**Where:** Local Maryville businesses

**What:** Many stores will stay open until 10 p.m.

Some stores will also be offering bigger discounts as the night goes on.

Kelly Freudensprung, president of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce, said Moonlight Madness is a good opportunity for Maryville businesses because it occurs the night before Homecoming when many people are out shopping.

A better turn-out than usual is expected because of more promotion.

Lorena Hall, chairwoman of this year's Moonlight Madness and manager of Livingston's Clothing Store, said she is expecting to do a lot of business during this year's sale.

She said she has helped distribute flyers giving the hours of Moonlight Madness to all of the participating businesses to put up in their windows.

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## Candidates campaign for 4th district office

By CHRIS TRIEBSCH  
CHIEF REPORTER

Students who are opposed to Amendment 7 may have trouble choosing who to vote for in this year's fourth district State representative election, as both candidates oppose the amendment.

Rex Barnett, the Republican candidate, said the issues most important to him include Amendment 7, education, industry, agriculture and crime. He is especially concerned with rural crime.

W.R. O'Riley is the Democratic candidate. The issues causing the biggest concern for him include Amendment 7, education, economic development, agriculture, highway and transportation crime, and requirements for senior citizens.

"It is hard to pinpoint one issue (that most concerns me)," O'Riley said. "I am trying to feel out the concerns of the fourth district and find out how I can better serve the people."

O'Riley is in favor of adequate prison facilities. He said if Amendment 7 is passed, it could cause prison overcrowding, sentence probation and

parole, and possibly letting criminals out earlier to make room for other ones.

Barnett is a retired state highway patrolman and is in favor of tougher sentences for criminals.

"My entire professional life has been dedicated to 'service and protection' of the citizens of northwest Missouri," Barnett said. "I want to carry that commitment to Jefferson City."

Barnett is in favor of strong family values and describes himself as conservative.

He has been in public service most of his life and favors accessibility of health care and welfare reform. He has lived in northwest Missouri most of his life.

O'Riley has a history of city council involvement and was mayor of Maryville for three years.

If elected, he would focus on key committee appointment. O'Riley would like to be the chair or vice-chair of a committee in Congress. He would also like to see an increase of education grants when the other grants increase.

Both candidates said if Amendment 7 passes, it will be devastating to education in Missouri.

**"It is hard to pinpoint one issue (that most concerns me). I am trying to feel out the concerns of the fourth district."**

W.R. O'Riley  
4th district  
candidate

## School bond issue sees round 4 in November

By KELLY FERGUSON  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

For the fourth time in two years, voters in the Maryville R-II school district will be asked on the Nov. 8 ballot to approve a bond issue intended to fund several capital projects in the district.

The district plans to sell \$6.95 million in 20-year general-obligation bonds if they win the approval of four-sevenths of the participants in the November election.

The proceeds will be used to finance the construction of a new middle school, a 10,400 square-foot addition to the current high school and to renovate parts of the existing high school.

The district first attempted to pass the bond issue in April 1993, again in April 1994 and finally in August 1994. The issue fell 2.6 percent short of passing in August.

According to superintendent Gary Bell, the district is not currently repay-

ing any previous bond issue, and district residents are paying one of the lowest tax rates in years.

Bell said the district's current financial position would allow the bonds to be rated "excellent," the highest rating a bond issue can receive, although they have not yet been officially rated pending the outcome of the Amendment 7 vote, also on the November ballot.

The passage of Amendment 7 would not necessarily stop the bond issue, according to Bell.

"We are approaching these as two separate issues," Bell said.

The board has three years to issue the bonds once the voters authorize it to do so. Bell noted that if Amendment 7 were to pass, legislators would likely attempt to correct many of the negative effects of the amendment.

"If we're not in a position financially to offer the bonds after three years, then, of course, the board will not do so," he explained.

## GOVERNOR VISITS CITY



RUSS WEYDERT/Northwest Missourian

GOV. MEL CARNAHAN returned to Maryville Wednesday to make community visits, among them was a visit to Eugene Field Elementary School to inspect work as it relates to the Outstanding Schools Act of 1993. The stop follows a city visit Carnahan made last month to dedicate the relocated U.S. Highway 71 and the Mazingo Dam Watershed project. Two visits in two months by a Missouri governor is virtually unprecedented in Maryville history.

## Undecided voters can learn about candidates

By JASON TARWATER  
ASSISTANT EDITOR

Elections are fast approaching, but students can still learn about the various candidates through debates and special appearances at the University.

Doug Hughes and Sam Graves, candidates for state senator in the 12th district, will debate their positions at 7 p.m. Thursday in the Charles Johnson Theater.

With the U.S. Senate race in Missouri heating up, Democratic candidate Alan Wheat's wife Yolanda Townsend-Wheat will be visiting the University.

Wheat, along with Doris Quinn, former state representative from Kansas

City, will be on campus at noon Friday in the Student Union.

They will discuss Amendment 7 and Alan Wheat's campaign.

Another U.S. Senate candidate came to campus Thursday to visit classes and meet with media members.

Bill Johnson, a new name from the Libertarian Party, has emerged as the third candidate and is traveling across the state drumming up support.

"This is a good government and education school," Johnson said.

"The students are the leaders of tomorrow and I want to get their views."

Some of the main issues Johnson is advocating include term limits for congressmen, the Balanced Budget Amendment and line-item veto.

One other topic Johnson is in favor of is Amendment 7. He believes it will help give government back to the people.

Another issue important to Johnson is gun control.

"Every country I've ever seen that had a screwed-up government ... their citizens didn't have their Second Amendment rights," he said.

Johnson is a commercial contractor who spent much of the '80s traveling across the globe.

He has fought with the Nicaraguan Contras, visited Soviet-occupied Afghanistan and spent a great deal of time in South Africa.

The Libertarian Party is unique from the other two parties when it comes to

two basic beliefs, Johnson said.

"The Republicans are fiscally responsible, but they tell you what to do inside your own home," he said. "The Democrats, however, are tolerant of people but try to tell you what to do in the board room."

His party's main concern is trying to give the government back to the people, he said.

"The Libertarian Party believes in people living their lives as they want to, just as long as their freedom doesn't overlap other people's freedom," he said.

Johnson said getting elected as a third party candidate would be difficult because of low financial backing compared to other candidates.

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# WORLD FAMOUS OUTBACK



## Name change causes conflict within group

By VANESSA STROPE  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

An organization's decision to change its name has left students and members in disagreement.

After a year of being known as Gays and Lesbians Together at Northwest, GALTAN has changed its name. Now known as Gay and Lesbian Tolerance at Northwest, the club is trying to make students more aware that it is for every student and not restricted to homosexuals.

According to Richard Trulson, club president, the club worked out a new name to keep the old acronym.

Trulson said the name change is not really the most appropriate for the group and can be misleading.

He believes acceptance is what the club stands for, but tolerance was the only word the club could come up with to keep it GALTAN.

Other students disagree with the name change and think it still needs work on the wording.

"I think the name makes it sound worse," Sarah Lund said. "If it is a gay and lesbian organization, they should not have to make it sound as a negative connotation."

Other students believe the group's focus should be different.

"I don't like the new name they have come up with for the group," Lorrie Vaccaro said. "They should go for more of an awareness aspect rather than acceptance."

According to Vaccaro, the club

should open the door to understanding.

The fact that the club still spotlights the words gay and lesbian turns people away, according to Mike Askren.

"I realize it started with GALTAN, but maybe something with support in the name would be better," Askren said.

One member also believes it is important for students to realize what the organization is about.

"(The club is) to tell everybody what it stands for, it isn't just for homosexuals, it is also for straight people that agree that there is no difference and that people can work together," Joe Reavis, GALTAN RHA representative, said.

Reavis also said he understood how the old name caused misunderstandings for heterosexuals.

According to Reavis, students understood the organization to be a gay and lesbian club.

Therefore, straight students do not want to know about it, or have to accept the fact that it is here.

Understanding is just part of the organization's objectives.

The club is working extra hard on education this year, according to Reavis.

The group is working on discussions and presentations to help students understand homosexuals, Reavis said.

He believes students should not put up a "shield" against homosexuals because they are the same as straights.

## CAREER DAY



RONALD BELL DISCUSSES opportunities in park Wildlife Service booth was just one of the busi- ranging with Sherry Carrick. The U.S. Fish and nesses represented at Fall Career Day Tuesday.

JASON WENTZEL/Northwest Missourian

## Orchestra to enrich audience

By VANESSA STROPE  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

Trumpets, trombones, saxophones, singers and other musical instrument will transform the stage into a array of musical memories.

The Glenn Miller Orchestra will play at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center.

The concert will capture a piece of history as it brings back the Big Band sounds of the '30s and '40s.

Although Glenn Miller is long gone, his memory lives on through the music of his band.

"It's some of the old big-time dance bands," John Entzi, assistant professor of music, said. The band made an appearance last year in the St. Joseph Missouri Theater.

But for those who have missed the orchestra, they have another chance to see them in the Mary Linn.

The concert, which is part of the Encore Series, is an event not to be missed, according to Entzi, who had the opportunity to see the orchestra in St. Joseph last year.

"It was the most musical ensemble I had heard in several years," he said.

Entzi credits the director for the experience he had.

"Larry O'Brien made it this way. After tons of directors, O'Brien made the orchestra come alive once more," Entzi said.

## Student Services expands conveniences

By ANDREA FRIEDMAN  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

The Student Services Center has now made purchasing athletic event tickets easy as pie...well almost. The Center has included this along with other conveniences in the expansion.

This year, in addition to its other services, the Student Services Center has begun selling Rec Center passes and football and basketball tickets. It will also be accepting cap and gown order forms in the spring for graduates.

The new services already used by the students included tickets for Fam-

ily Day and Homecoming.

The area of the Student Services Center, located on the first floor of the Administration Building, has expanded about 10 feet to the left in order to make room for these new services.

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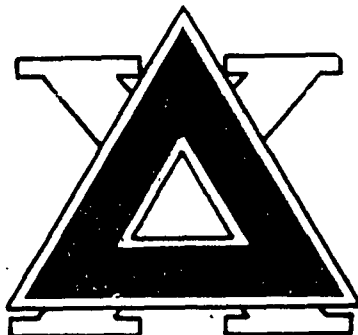
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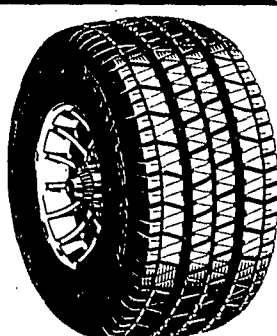
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Tuesday, Oct. 18  
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Student Union

Group pictures will be taken Monday, Oct. 24 through Friday, Oct. 28 from 3:30 p.m. in the Union Ballroom until 10 p.m.



JON BRITTON/Northwest Missourian

SPORTING A HAT that was thrown on stage by a fan, violinist Gene Johnson performs with vocalist Marty Roe, at the Diamond Rio concert in the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center.

## Diamond Rio performs for energetic audience

By CHRIS TRIEBSCH  
CHIEF REPORTER

Despite the last-minute move to the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center, the Diamond Rio concert still sold out.

Although the concert was not regarded as a financial success, students seemed to enjoy the concert, Dave Gieseke, director of News and Information, said.

"I think, for the most part, (the audience) thought the show was pretty good," Gieseke said. "The older (people) complained of it being loud, but you expect it to be loud at a concert."

Although the performance moved from the Bearcat Arena to the Mary Linn, the trouble of exchanging tickets did not seem to bother the fans. According to Gieseke, only a few people returned their tickets.

"To a certain extent, we are disappointed because we would have liked to have been able to sell more tickets," he said. "We would have been able to sell more tickets in Lamkin."

The future of performances in Lamkin Activity Center is uncertain because the arena was not made for concerts. The loading dock makes the arena hard to set up for concerts, according to Gieseke.

"We are kind of stuck on what kind of group we can bring into the Mary Linn," he said.

"We want to get a different kind of group in there. I think we can sell out any country show we want to right now, but we are going to try to go

more to a rock type of show."

Gieseke said Diamond Rio seemed to appreciate all of Campus Activity Programmers' efforts.

"It was a blast," Brian Prout, Diamond Rio drummer, said. "What a great crowd. It's not too often that we get a chance to come to places like this. It was a wonderful experience."

The group, which was sponsored by CAPs, performed in front of an audience that was not shy about being heard.

"It was a great concert," Roger Stull said. "They really put on a good show."

Diamond Rio praised the fans several times for their enthusiasm.

"It was great," vocalist Marty Roe said. "(The audience) would not sit down."

The group performed all its most popular songs, including "Meet in the Middle," "Love a Little Stronger," and "Norma Jean Riley."

Dan Truman, keyboarder for Diamond Rio, wrote "Norma Jean Riley," which deals with a man's refusal to give up on a crush.

The show contained a lot of onstage movement, rather than just singing.

"It was all spontaneous," Roe said. "If things happened and it was cool, we would end up doing (that routine) for about a year. We did not do a lot of choreographing per se, we just tried to have fun with it. We just let it happen."

The opening act for Diamond Rio was a group called Ricochet. They performed a variety of tunes, including two Billy Joel songs.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### 13 Thursday

8 a.m. Horticulture Club will have a plant sale in Garrett-Strong.  
4 p.m. AMA meeting in 228 Colder Hall.  
7 p.m. Variety Show in the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center.

### 14 Friday

4:30 p.m. Homecoming committee meeting in 228 Colder.  
5 p.m. Lamkin Rededication Ceremony in the Lamkin Auditorium.  
5 p.m. Judging of house decorations begins.  
7:30 p.m. Variety Show in the Mary Linn.

### 15 Saturday

8 a.m. GMAT test in 228 Colder.  
9:30 a.m. Homecoming parade will begin.  
11:30 a.m. Rededication of Roberta Hall in Roberta.

### 17 Monday

3 p.m. Billy Massy will speak on academic governance in the University Room.  
Last day to drop a semester course in the Registrar's Office.  
First block ends.

### 19 Wednesday

5 p.m. PRSSA/Perkins pancake dinner will take place at the Wesley Center.

## Team focuses on improvement

By CHRIS TRIEBSCH  
CHIEF REPORTER

The forensics team has kicked off another year on the right track, taking first place in the Winona State University tournament last weekend.

"We really thought we could place in the Top 3," John Rude, director of forensics, said. "We were pleasantly happy that it turned out the way it did."

Fourteen teams competed in the tournament. Team member Neil Neumeyer placed first in the Top Speaker Award for the Quadrathlon.

Four of the top seven placements in the Top Speaker Award were Northwest students, including Natalie Roberts, Shawn Bechtol, Mary Moore and Neumeyer.

With a theme of "no goals, no glory" this year's forensic team is working on making continuous improvement on both the individual and team level.

According to Rude, the team made major improvement last year, the team placed 10th in nationals.

"I think this year's team will do better," Rude said. "We have better goals, and I think the seasoned experienced people will do much better through the experience they have gained."

Jeff Przybylo, assistant director of forensics, credits the hard work, determination and dedication of the team.

"(Our team) is more experienced. It is bigger and we have more resources," Przybylo said. "All of that equals state champions. If everyone puts the right amount of effort into it, we will be successful."

Team member John Kilby said the team should do much better because of the experience.

"I think because of the trend we saw last year and the dedication, it will pay off for the returners," Kilby said. "The returners are going to be able to help the incoming (students) as well. So I think our team will do much better this year."

Przybylo said his formula for success is "motivation, organization and energy equals success."

"I think this year will be much more successful than last year, for myself as well as for the team," Moore said. "I think the motivation and organization is there and the energy is getting ready to happen."

The team's first tournament was Oct. 1 at Creighton University in Omaha, Neb. They placed seventh out of 19 teams at that tournament.

The team will be competing in more tournaments this year as compared to previous years.

They will sponsor a tournament Oct. 29 where 20 schools will compete. The tournament headquarters will be in Wells Hall while the competition will be in Colder Hall and the Student Union.

## New sorority to begin Rushing

By JAMIE HATZ  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

Many women describe it as hell on earth. Five tedious days of talking to complete strangers and trying to make the right impression.

Deciding what to wear, what to say and what parties to attend could be the decisions that might change their entire college career.

Now it is back.

Formal Rush for the new sorority, Sigma Kappa, begins Oct. 23 in the Union Ballroom. The number of women for Rush increases each year, creating the need for another sorority.

"It is sad how many girls that are sorority material get turned away because there are not enough seats in each sorority," Courtney Haney, Panhellenic Council president, said.

Northwest currently has four active sororities: Alpha Sigma Alpha, Delta Zeta, Phi Mu and Sigma Sigma Sigma. "Our numbers have gotten so large

that a couple of years ago, Panhellenic Council decided to add another sorority," Haney said. "It has been a long process but now the benefits will begin to show."

More than 117 years ago, five women enrolled at Colby College in Waterville, Maine, and established a sisterhood that became Sigma Kappa Sorority.

Today, the women from Northwest will have the chance to develop that same bond of friendship in Maryville.

Panhellenic will begin to advertise for sign-ups for Sigma Kappa rush next week. Sorority Rush is a process of selecting the right sorority or deciding if sorority life is what one wants.

This time, instead of initiates conducting Rush, alumni, national officers and Panhellenic members will help with the process.

"Sigma Kappa has really strong alumni support in Missouri," Haney said. "Their standards are very high and their policies are similar to how the

sororities at Northwest are run."

The violet is the sorority flower, lavender and maroon are its colors, and the triangle pin is the badge of Sigma Kappa.

"The ritual symbols are not what it's all about," Haney said. "A sorority is having a good organization and being a part of something."

According to the chapter, one purpose of Sigma Kappa membership is to support worthwhile philanthropic projects. Its national programs are Gerontology, Inherit the Earth and Alzheimer's disease.

Sigma Kappa is dedicated to the pursuit of academic excellence. Each chapter has a structured academic program to provide the atmosphere, the motivation, the direction and the enthusiasm for individual success.

"Establishing a sorority is a good thing because they get to be the founders of the sorority," Haney said. "Sigma Kappa has a great opportunity to make a name for themselves."

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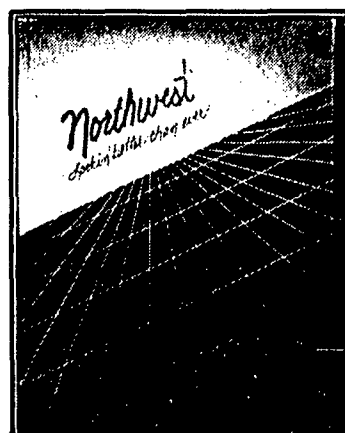


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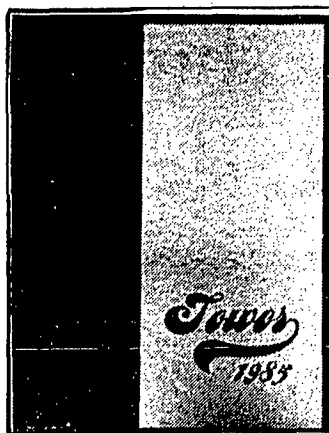
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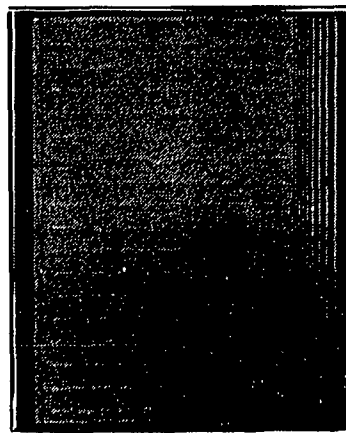
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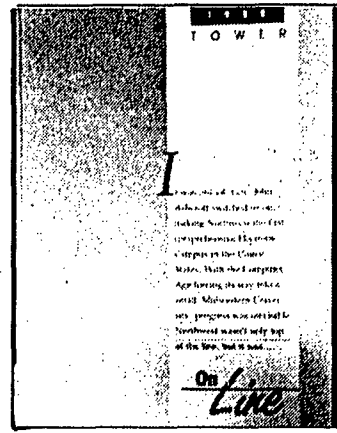
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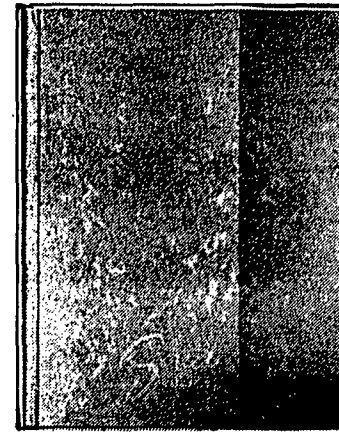
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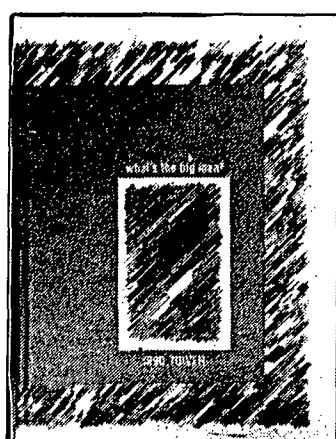
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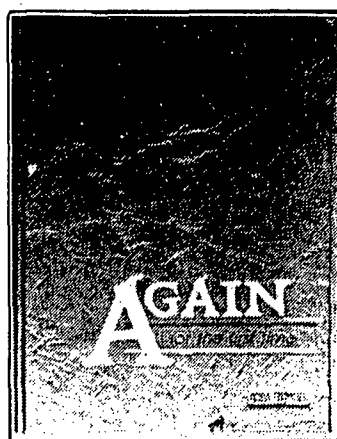
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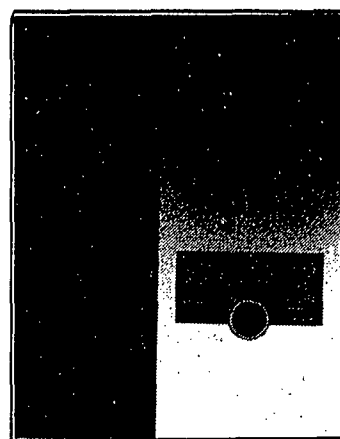
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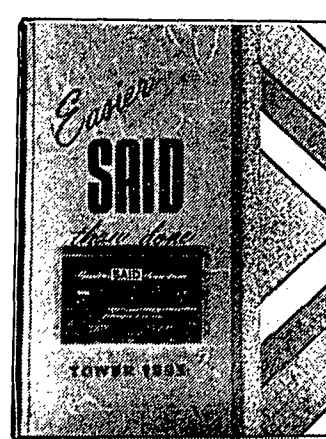
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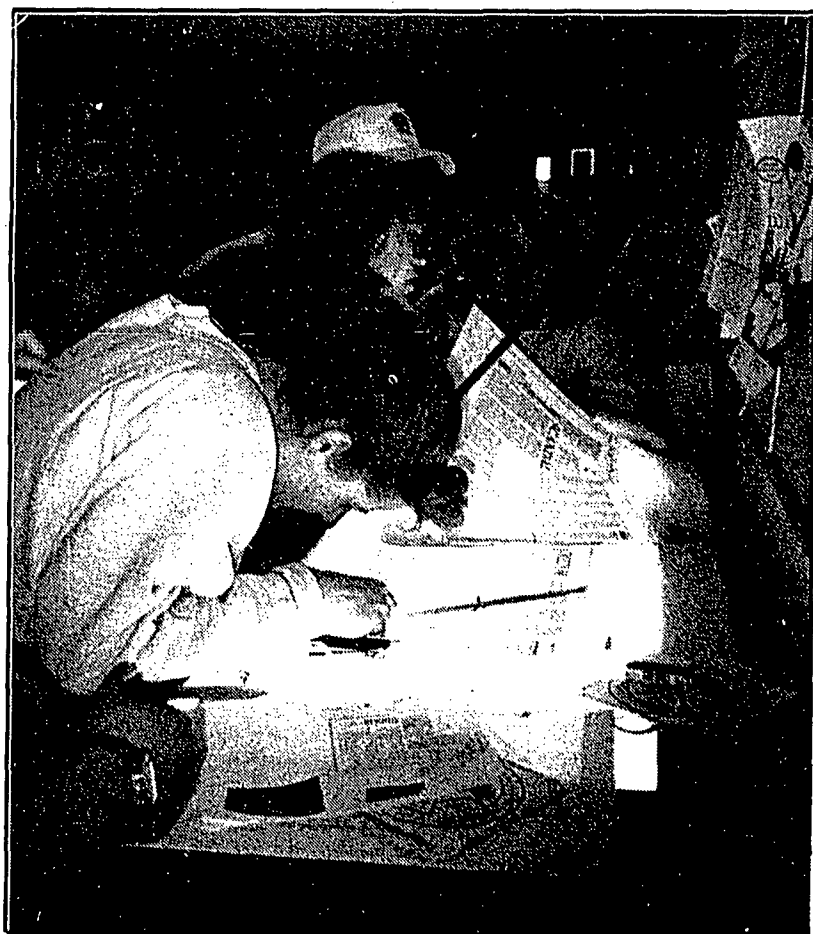
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**JENNY FAIR,**  
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were underway.

Laura Widmer

## Yearbook editors reunite to relive *Tower* memories

Tower Homecoming reunion weekend kicks off with recognition for ACP Hall of Fame award

By **KARISSA BONEY**  
MISSOURIAN STAFF  
**SARA MEYERS**  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

For most Northwest alumni, returning to Maryville during Homecoming is just another trip down memory lane, but for *Tower* yearbook alumni, Homecoming '94 will be a reunion of 10 years of memories and traditions.

After years of dedication and hard work, *Tower* editors are gathering this weekend to celebrate its latest honor, as an inductee into the Associated Collegiate Press (ACP) Hall of Fame. Northwest will recognize *Tower's* past 10 editors in chief at halftime of Saturday's football game.

*Tower* will officially be inducted during the November ACP/College Media Advisers (CMA) fall convention in New Orleans. This honor is only awarded to publications receiving an All American rating for 10 consecutive years.

*Tower* is one of only seven other schools in the country to receive this award.

According to Laura Widmer, *Tower* adviser, the other universities that have been inducted into the ACP/CMA Hall of Fame are Ball State University, Kansas State University, University of Alabama, Western Kentucky University and Pittsburg State University.

"We are in with some great universities," Widmer said. "It just goes to show you what a group of talented and dedicated students can do. Back in 1984, it was beyond my wildest dreams to start such a yearbook tradition."

This tradition has been recognized in more ways than one. During the past 10 years, *Tower* has also received seven Pacemaker awards, which places the yearbook in the top 3 percent of all college yearbooks in the country.

"Tower has a great tradition of quality," Angela Tackett, editor in chief of the 1995 *Tower*, said. "It's great experience to work for such a prestigious publication."

Receiving such a high national honor says a lot, not just for the publication, but also for Northwest and the mass communication department.

"It shows that we can compete with any school, regardless of size ... it is recognition deserved and it will really shine a light on Northwest," Cara (Moore) Dahlor, editor in chief of the 1990 *Tower*, said.

With 10 years of excellence behind them, past editors are stressing the force behind the tradition. Widmer, who has been the *Tower* adviser since the fall of 1983, has been a role model for *Tower* editors and other students.

"It is really a reflection on Laura," Dana (Kempker) Haggerty, editor in chief of the 1985 and '86 yearbooks, said. "She has been the only constant factor there. It is really a recognition for her."

Along with the formal recognition at halftime, returning alumni are looking forward to seeing old friends and continuing other traditions.

The festivities include doughnuts served in Wells Hall before the parade.

On Saturday there will be a Publications Roast, an annual banquet which takes place at the end of each year to celebrate the



Laura Widmer

**DANA (KEMPKER) HAGGERTY**, editor of the '85 and '86 *Tower* yearbooks, prepares artwork for the yearbook. She has been the only editor to serve two consecutive years.

finishing of the book and recognize yearly achievements.

This Homecoming is not only a chance for past editors to receive the recognition they worked for, but also a time for present editors to get a glimpse of the base of the infamous *Tower* tradition.

"Over 30 former editors are coming back to join in the celebration," Widmer said. "I haven't seen some of these editors for almost 10 years. I can hardly wait to see them and to share old *Tower* stories. It will be exciting for the present *Tower* editors to meet their predecessors. They have heard the stories, but now they will get to meet the folks who started the *Tower* tradition."

For most *Tower* editors, this is a family reunion long overdue.

"Yearbook editorial boards spend the majority of their college careers just working on *Tower*," Tackett said. "By spending that much time together, you really do become a family. All of the students I worked with on editorial boards have gone off to different jobs across the country. This weekend will give us a chance to get together and relive memories of when we worked together."

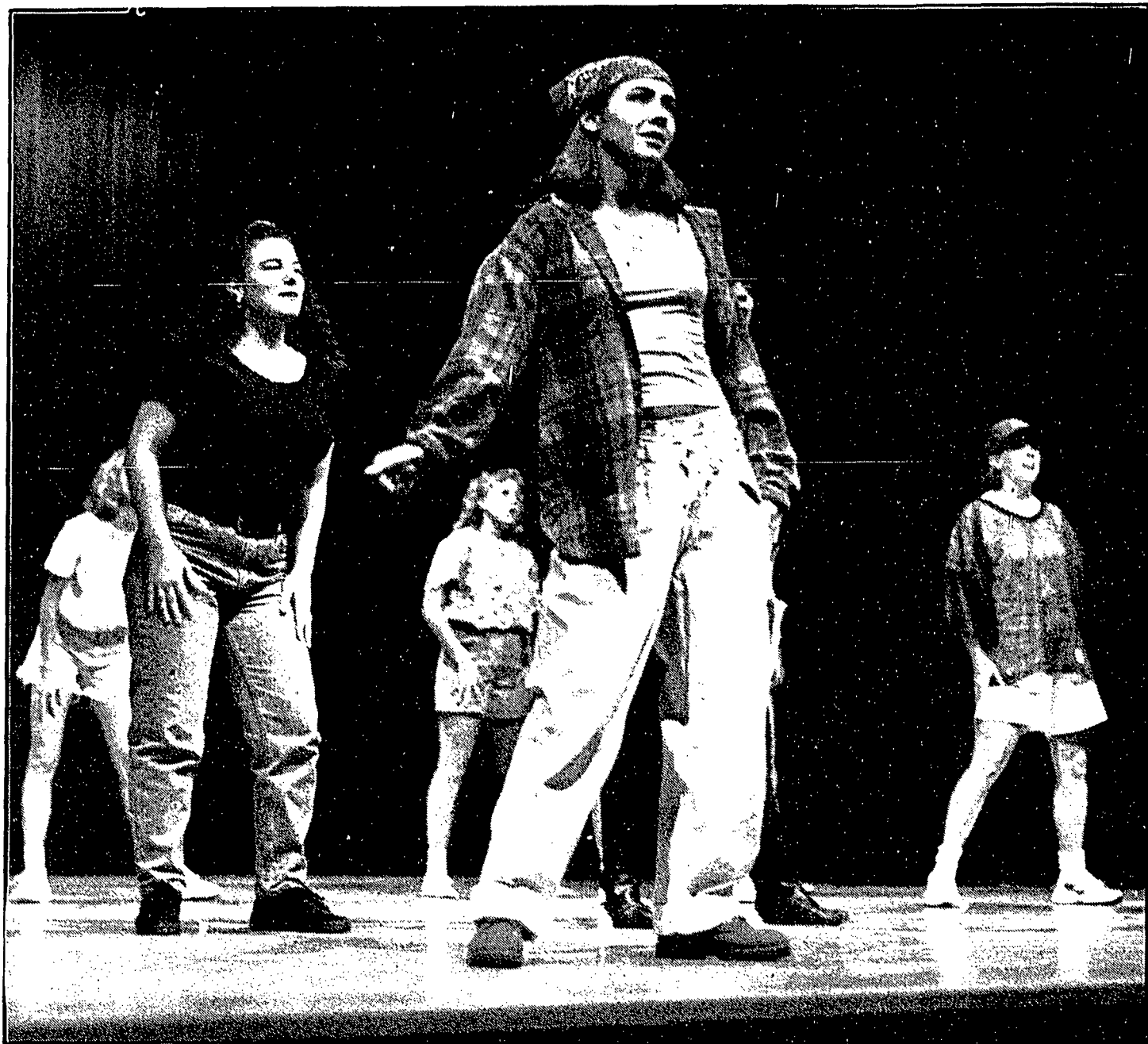
*Tower* started its tradition with the first All American award, and now the tradition passes on from generation to generation of editors.

"I'm just glad to see the tradition continuing," Kevin Fullerton, editor in chief of the 1988 *Tower*, said. "I hope to see it continue for another 10 years."



Laura Widmer

# 'Lights! Camera! Action!'



KERRIE KELLY/Northwest Missourian

AMY DUDEN AND Angela Nolan, members of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority, danced to the finale in their skit portraying the

Academy Awards for the variety show Wednesday. The Homecoming variety show will continue today and Friday.

## Variety show features humor, comedy sketches from emcee

By ANDREA FRIEDMAN  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

A professional comedian and the announcement of this year's Homecoming King and Queen were the highlights of Wednesday's variety show.

The variety show will be performed again tonight at 7 p.m. and Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center.

Buzz Sutherland, the featured emcee for this year's show, entertained the audience with comedy sketches involving interactions with the audience and Donald Duck imitations.

Sutherland has appeared on such television shows as "Caroline's Comedy Hour," "Comedy on the Road," and MTV's "Half Hour Comedy Hour."

Immediately following the show, Doug Swink and Shelly Pfister were announced as this year's Homecoming King and Queen.

Swink, sponsored by North Complex, is a geography and geology major from Drexel, Mo. Pfister, also sponsored by North Complex, is a personnel management major from Nebraska City, Neb.

Northwest students chose the king and queen through an election conducted through Northwest's computer system Monday and Tuesday.

The skits at this year's show centered around the theme "Lights! Camera! Action!" by doing spoofs of movies and television shows.

One such skit was a parody of "Beverly Hills 90210," called "Maryville 64468," while another skit was based on Jim Hensen's Muppets, called "Muppets Take Maryville."

Other skits spoofed such movies as "Dirty Dancing," "Ace Ventura, Pet Detective," "The Wizard of Oz" and "West Side Story."

## HOMECOMING KING AND QUEEN

**Queen:**

Shelly Pfister

**King:**

Doug Swink

The Homecoming court will be introduced prior to intermission today and Friday.

Many of the skits poked fun at Campus Safety and the fact that the Bearcats usually have a history of losing the football game.

They also contained the usual fraternity and sorority sex slams.

In the past, providing entertainment in between the skits has been done by student emcees.

Pat Laster, one of the co-chairs of this year's Homecoming, said Sutherland was a welcome addition.

"Hiring an emcee really helped to avoid the hassles of hunting down a volunteer," he said.

Sutherland is well-suited to a variety show format, he said, because his act is built around three- to four-minute routines.

"I try to stay really hip and in touch since a majority of my dates are college shows," he

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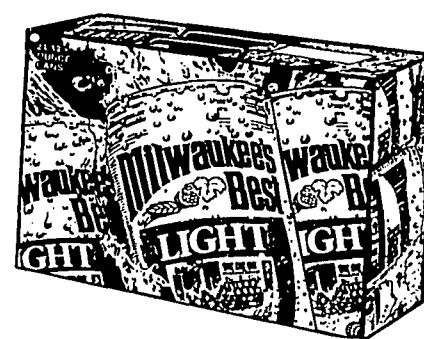
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SARAH ELLIOTT/Contributing Photographer

1994 HOMECOMING KING Doug Swink and Queen Shelly Pfister were crowned Wednesday at the variety show. Students voted electronically Monday and Tuesday from a list of 12 candidates.

said. "It puts a lot of weight on my shoulders, but I think I'm smart enough to know what works on the stage and what doesn't."

However, Kristi Hill, an audience member at Wednesday's Variety Show said, "I think it would personalize it more if students did it."

The variety show is a popular part of the week, Laster said.

"A lot of the organizations on campus like to use the skits to poke fun at each other," he said. "It's all in good fun, and everyone seems to enjoy it."

Awards for the best skits and the People's Choice Award will be announced during the football game.

The sororities performing skits were Phi Mu, Alpha Sigma Alpha, Sigma Sigma Sigma and Delta Zeta.

Fraternities performing skits were Tau Kappa Epsilon, Phi Sigma Kappa,

Phi Mu Alpha, Delta Chi and Sigma Phi Epsilon.

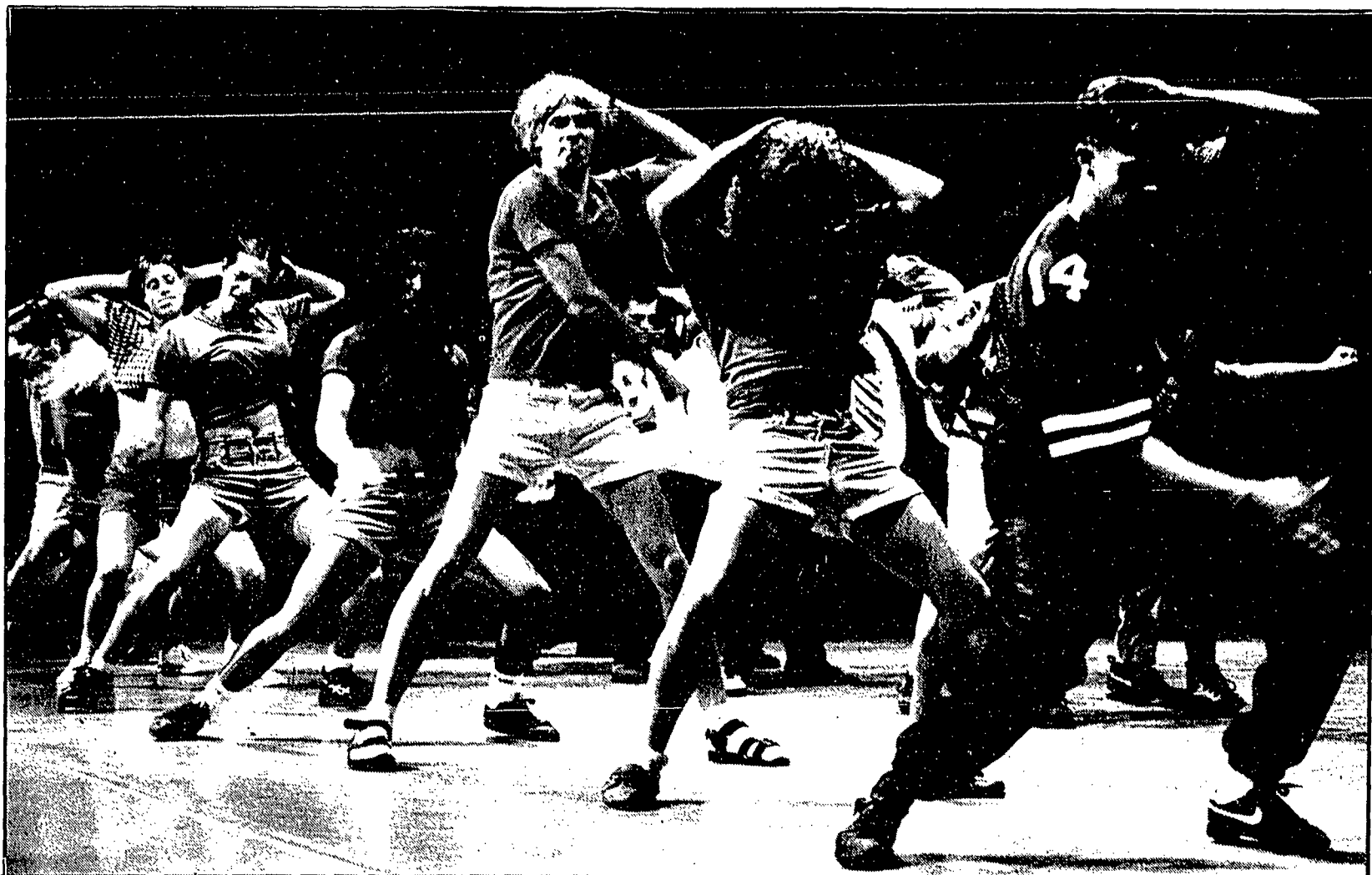
Several musicians were also featured during the show. Kip Mathew, Marc Jackson, Francie Miller, Cori Monarrez and Ryan Kenney all performed during the show.

Those songs included "Can You Feel the Love Tonight," from "The Lion King," and "I Still Believe," from the musical "Miss Saigon."

The musical groups included "Baby Blues," "Distinguished Gentlemen," and "Three Men and a Melody," also performed during the show.

In addition to the performers, two children appeared in the show.

Sarah Knapp, daughter of Jeff and Tracie Knapp, was the flower girl, while Galen Gibson-Cornell, son of Chris Gibson and Cheryl Cornell, was the crown bearer.



RUSS WEYDERT/Northwest Missourian



JON BRITTON/Northwest Missourian

MEMBERS OF SIGMA Phi Epsilon perform their dance routine on the stage of the Mary Linn Performing Arts Center Wednesday at the variety show. Their skit was called "Great Detectives of the Silver Screen," and featured James Bond, Kojak, McGruff the Crime Dog and Inspector Clouseau from "The Pink Panther."

THE MEN OF Tau Kappa Epsilon finish their skit, "Wings of Victory," based on the movie, "Airplane." The variety show will also be performed today at 7 p.m. and Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Mary Linn.

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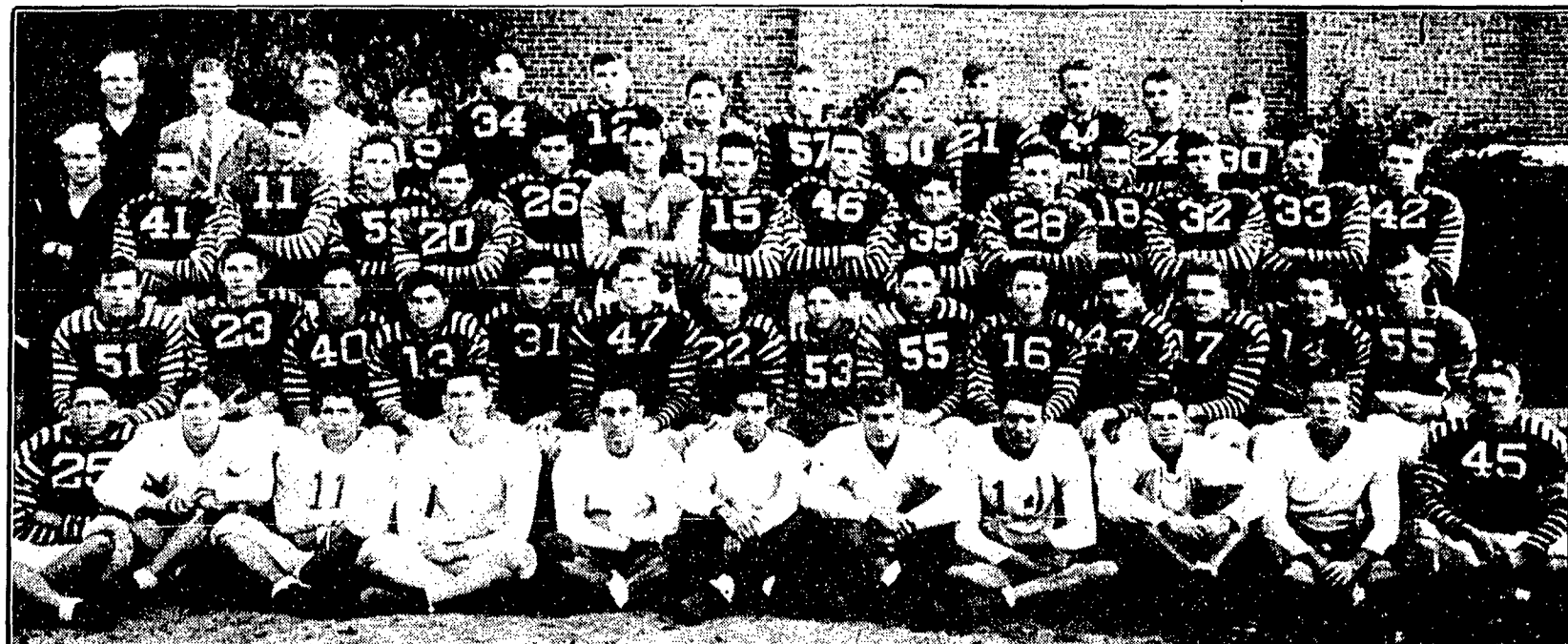
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A 1944-45 NORTHWEST CELEBRATION



1945 Tower Yearbook

THESE ARE THE men of the 1944 Bearcats football team. The '44 team is the only team in 'Cats history that went undefeated, with a season record of 7-0 and was invited to a bowl game.

THE 1944 FOOTBALL team named Jodie Montgomery, center, Football Queen or "pin-up" girl. The queen's attendants include Bernetta Cushman, Berniece Goforth, Janet Drennan and Mary Lloyd.



1945 Tower Yearbook

"The Naval training program added a lot of excitement and men. The Maryville girls thought that was nice."

Opal Eckert  
Alumna

## Alumni gather for 50-year class reunion

By FAY DAHLQUIST  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

Fifty years ago, Maryville was an entirely different place. Northwest was a small teachers' college and everything was rationed.

This Homecoming weekend, part of that history comes back with the class of 1944, in town for its 50th class reunion. Also in town will be the 1944 Bearcat football and the 1932-33 Bearcats basketball teams, who are to be inducted into the M-Club Hall of Fame. Several of the Naval students, who were part of the 1944 co-championship football team will also be back.

In the 1945 Tower yearbook an editorial stated that the staff wanted to "... preserve for the students of our College, the memories of the years 1944 and 1945 ..." But the Tower vision vanished, as film was impossible to purchase.

The 1944 reunion will begin on Friday when the Alumni House opens at 9 a.m. for the classmates to get together and reminisce about their college days.

While World War II was going on the senior class was made up of 63 students, five of which were men. But with the addition of the

Naval training program, the male student population increased.

"The Naval training program added a lot of excitement and men," Opal Eckert, alumna and former Northwest teacher, said. "The Maryville girls thought that was nice."

At 10 a.m. the alumni will go on a bus tour of the campus and the community. After the tour they will have a class photo taken at 11:30 a.m. and attend a luncheon at noon. During the day, visitors can look through a book that contains information on all students who graduated at the Alumni House.

The football team has several school records that remain today, such as a team average of 29.4 points per game, an undefeated season and an invitation to a bowl game. Henry Iba coached the Bearcats basketball team for four seasons and led it to three MIAA Championship titles.

The 1932-33 team was Iba's last season with the 'Cats. That year the squad was not expected to fare well. Both guard Ryland Milner, who later coached the 1944 football team, and forward Ted Hodgkinson, led the team to a 6-2 league record, a 12-7 season record and their third conference title.

The class and the teams will get together Friday for a banquet, at which time the new M-Club inductees will be recognized.



1945 Tower Yearbook

BECAUSE OF THE 1944 Bearcats football team's undefeated record, many newspaper clippings ran about them.

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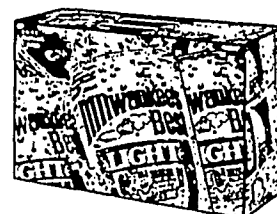
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## Bears Cats Football

Saturday, Oct. 8

Washburn 48, Northwest 14

	NWMSU	WU
Plays	67	77
First Downs	11	23
Rushing yds	101	349
Comp/Att/Int	11/30/1	7/17/0
Passing yds	125	132
Total yards	226	481
Penalties/yds	7/55	10/90
Time of Poss	27:15	32:45

## Scoring Drives:

**12:54 1st Quarter:** WU-Kincade 52-yd reception from Schartz (Brown kick)  
**8:56 1st Quarter:** WU-Williams 6-yd run (Brown kick)  
**1:02 1st Quarter:** NWMSU-Adwell 1-yd run (Schelb kick)  
**0:49 1st Quarter:** WU-Coleman 43-yd run (Brown kick)  
**4:42 2nd Quarter:** WU-Schartz 16-yd run (Brown kick)  
**3:14 2nd Quarter:** WU-Becker 43-yd reception from Teale (Schelb kick)  
**4:08 3rd Quarter:** WU-Cummings 2-yd run (Brown kick)  
**3:25 4th Quarter:** WU-Williams 32-yd run (kick failed)  
**1:12 4th Quarter:** WU-Scollieri 3-yd fumble recovery (Brown kick)

## MIAA Football Standings

(conference and overall records)

	W-L-T	Pct.	W-L-T	Pct.
1. Northeast (8)	4-0-0	1.000	5-0-0	1.000
2. Pitt State (5)	4-0-0	1.000	5-0-0	1.000
3. CMSU	3-1-0	.750	4-1-0	.800
4. UMR	2-1-0	.625	3-2-1	.583
5. Emporia St.	2-2-0	.500	3-2-0	.600
6. Mo. Southern	1-3-0	.250	3-3-0	.500
7. Mo. Western	1-3-0	.250	1-4-0	.200
8. Washburn	0-3-1	.125	0-4-1	.100
9. SBU	0-4-0	.000	0-6-0	.000
10. Northwest	0-4-0	.000	0-6-0	.000

( ) Rank in latest NCAA Division II Polls

## MIAA Volleyball Standings

(conference and overall records)

	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
1. CMSU	7-0	1.000	24-2	.923
2. Northeast	6-0	1.000	15-5	.750
3. Northwest	4-2	.667	18-3	.857
4. Emporia St.	3-3	.500	17-7	.708
5. Mo. Southern	2-3	.400	6-9	.400
6. Mo. Western	2-3	.400	9-14	.391
7. UMSL	2-3	.400	5-16	.238
8. Pitt State	2-4	.333	9-8	.529
9. Washburn	1-6	.143	4-14	.222
10. SBU	0-5	.000	0-10	.000

## Bears Cats Cross Country

Saturday, Oct. 8

University of Arkansas-Little Rock

**WOMEN:** (first overall)  
 1. Kathy Kearns, 18:51; 4. Carrie Sindelar, 19:17; 5. Renee Stains, 19:35; 10. Jennifer Miller, 20:06; 11. Dana Luke, 20:08  
**MEN:** (second overall)  
 8. Doc Harris, 27:47; 9. Steve Marotti, 27:50; 10. Shannon Wheeler, 27:53; 12. John McIntosh, 28:07

## PLAYER WATCH

## Eduardo Jarolim

Class: Senior

Hometown:

Guadalupe,

Mexico

(Laredo Texas JC)

Major:

Business

Management

Career stats:

Finished the 1994 season with a 14-10 singles record playing the No. 1 position placing third at the MIAA Tournament  
 Had a 12-12 doubles record at No. 1 placing second at the MIAA  
**This season's stats:** Made it to the semi-finals of the Rolex Intercollegiate Championships before losing to the eventual champion



## KEY QUOTE

"To say the least, (the Washburn game) was a tough loss in the fact that I think we went into the game really feeling we were going to win. Unfortunately, I think our players thought they were going to win just because it was Washburn."

-Mel Tjeerdsma  
 Head football coach

## Big 8 Football Standings

(overall records)

	W-L-T	Pct.	Pts.	PR
1. Nebraska (2)	5-0-0	1.000	1,479	2
2. Colorado (4)	5-0-0	1.000	1,387	5
3. Kansas St. (11)	4-0-0	1.000	894	13
4. Kansas	3-2-0	.600	NR	33
5. Oklahoma (21)	3-2-0	.600	311	12
6. Oklahoma St.	3-2-0	.600	NR	NR
7. Missouri	1-4-0	.200	NR	NR
8. Iowa St.	0-5-0	.000	NR	NR

( ) Rank in latest USA/CNN Coaches Poll

(Pts) Poll points

(NR) Not ranked

(PR) Previous place in poll

## CHIEFS WATCH



## LAST WEEK:

Oct. 9: San Diego 20  
 Kansas City 6

## NEXT WEEK:

Oct. 17: Kansas City vs.  
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## Gridders hope to relive past success



RUSS WEYDERT/Northwest Missourian

**FREE SAFETY** Jeff Shaw attempts to bring down strong safety Geoff Steinkuehler during practice in preparation for the Homecoming game Saturday. The 'Cats hope to put the brakes on a 10-game losing streak dating back to last season.

## Losing streak reaches 10

By COLIN MCDONOUGH  
 MISSOURIAN STAFF

There is only one reason people keep track of streaks — they are meant to be stopped.

That is exactly what Northwest will try to do during its Homecoming game at 2 p.m. Saturday in Rickenbrode Stadium as they entertain the University of Missouri-Rolla Miners.

The Bears' losing streak stretched to 10 games after a convincing defeat at the hands of Washburn University, 48-14 in Topeka, Kan., Saturday.

The Ichabods exploited a weakness in the 'Cats defense as they piled up 349 yards rushing. Washburn added another 132 yards through the air to gain 481 yards in total offense.

Defensively, Northwest will have to play a solid first quarter to have a chance to defeat UMR. The Bears gave up 21 first-quarter points Saturday and never recovered.

Jim Anderson is in his third year as head coach of the Miners.

UMR comes into Saturday's game still stinging from a 34-0 loss to Pittsburg State University in Rolla.

Bears head coach Mel Tjeerdsma

said UMR is a very good defensive team with a lot of experience.

"They don't give up very many points," he said. "They have seven seniors starting on the defense."

Anderson said for UMR to earn a win they will have to play some good sound basic defense.

"We are going to need a bend-but-don't-break attitude for us to win the game defensively," Anderson said.

Good defense will be one of the keys to victory, according to Tjeerdsma.

"We are going to have to come in with a good game plan," he said. "Our offense has to move the ball, the defense has to play well and if we get good field position we will have a chance."

Northwest improved its rushing game against Washburn by gaining 101 yards, but will still have to improve if it wants to break into the win column, according to Tjeerdsma.

"We have seen improvement in the running game, but we would like to run it more," Tjeerdsma said.

Freshman free safety Mark Gutkowski, said the team cannot make mistakes against UMR.

"We are going to have to play error-free football to beat Rolla," he said.

## 'Cats to end year with alumni game

By CHRIS GEINOSKY  
 MISSOURIAN STAFF

After finishing a successful fall schedule last weekend, the Northwest baseball team is now looking forward to a promising spring season, according to head baseball coach Jimmy Johnson.

The baseball team will play the "Old Timers' Game" at 11 a.m. Saturday. This will be the eighth consecutive year alumni have been invited to play baseball at Bearcat Field on Homecoming. The Bears' two games Saturday were canceled because Bearcat Field was not suitable for play after heavy rain fell Friday, but they concluded their fall season Sunday against Fort Scott Community College.

During Sunday's game, the Bearcat offense appeared ready to play ball as soon as the first pitch flew.

A walk to the lead-off hitter, junior Matt Fitzmorris, and back-to-back RBI doubles by seniors Bill Carter and Brad Skriver led to two runs before fans got a chance to sit down.

Northwest had a consistent offensive attack, tallying 10 runs throughout the game. Stealing bases and advancing base runners contributed to the 'Cats success, according to Johnson.

"One thing I was pleased with was the offensive execution that was displayed," he said. "We saw certain situations, and we took advantage of those situations."

Carter led the Bears' offensive charge. He reached base three times, scored twice and had an RBI.

"We're very optimistic about the way we can play as a team," Carter said. "I can't wait to play ball in the MIAA because I know we can be tough."

Junior first baseman Jeremiah Paulson finished the season swinging the bat well, pounding out two hits and driving in a pair of runs.

Senior Brent Goheen was the starting pitcher for the Bears, but walked four Fort Scott batters in just two innings. The walks forced him to pitch out of trouble, and he managed to avoid giving up a run.

"Goheen has the ability to blow guys away, but he just can't let himself get into trouble," Johnson said.

Other Northwest pitchers were not as lucky as Goheen. The 'Cat's pitching staff surrendered only eight base hits, but continued to put runners on base by walking 12 men in nine innings.

"As a group, this was the worst outing our pitchers had all fall," Johnson said.

## '44 team sports unscathed record

By NATE OLSON  
 CHIEF REPORTER

Homecoming is a celebration of a university's history as well as present-day successes.

One of the highlights of Northwest's celebration will be the induction of the 1944 Bears' football team into the Northwest M-Club Athletic Hall of Fame.

The team ran its record to an undefeated 7-0, capturing the MIAA title under the direction of Ryland Milner, for whom the grounds of the athletic complexes are named. No other football team in Northwest history has finished with a perfect record.

The 'Cats lit up the scoreboard that year by averaging 29 points per game, a record that still stands.

The 1944 squad held five opponents scoreless that year outscoring their opponents 206-19.

At the end of that season, the Bears were invited to the Sun Bowl, but had to decline the invitation because most of the players were scheduled to leave for military service.

Since then there have been two Bearcat teams that have played in the NCAA Division II playoffs, but none have ever received an invitation to play in a bowl game.

Milner said that team ranks among his favorites that he has ever coached.

"I'm happy for the boys," Milner said. "I had more fun with those boys than I have ever had with any team. They were all around 17 years old when they played for me, and they were all full of vigor and always worked hard."

Following the game, an age-old tradition will take place with the 23rd annual presentation of the Don Black Memorial Trophy to the Bears player with the most outstanding performance of the day.

The award was established in 1972 by George Nathan, a 1954 Northwest graduate who lives in Mountain View Calif. Nathan was a running back on the 1952 MIAA co-championship team.

The man for whom the award is named received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Northwest and taught in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, until his death in 1969.

A panel of media personnel will select the recipient, who will have his name engraved on a permanent trophy. The recipient will also receive a smaller trophy.

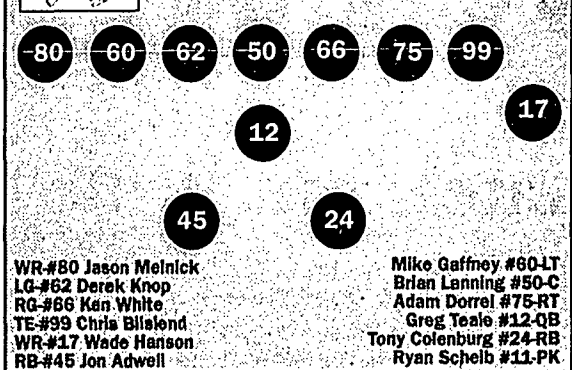
Saturday, Northwest will try to break their 10-game losing streak, but another streak could stand in their way. They have not won a Homecoming game in five years and lost to Southwest Baptist University last year, 21-17.

However, there is a silver lining in the clouds that hover over Rickenbrode Stadium. It has been five years since Northwest has won a Homecoming game, but the University of Missouri-Rolla, was the last victim of the 'Cats.

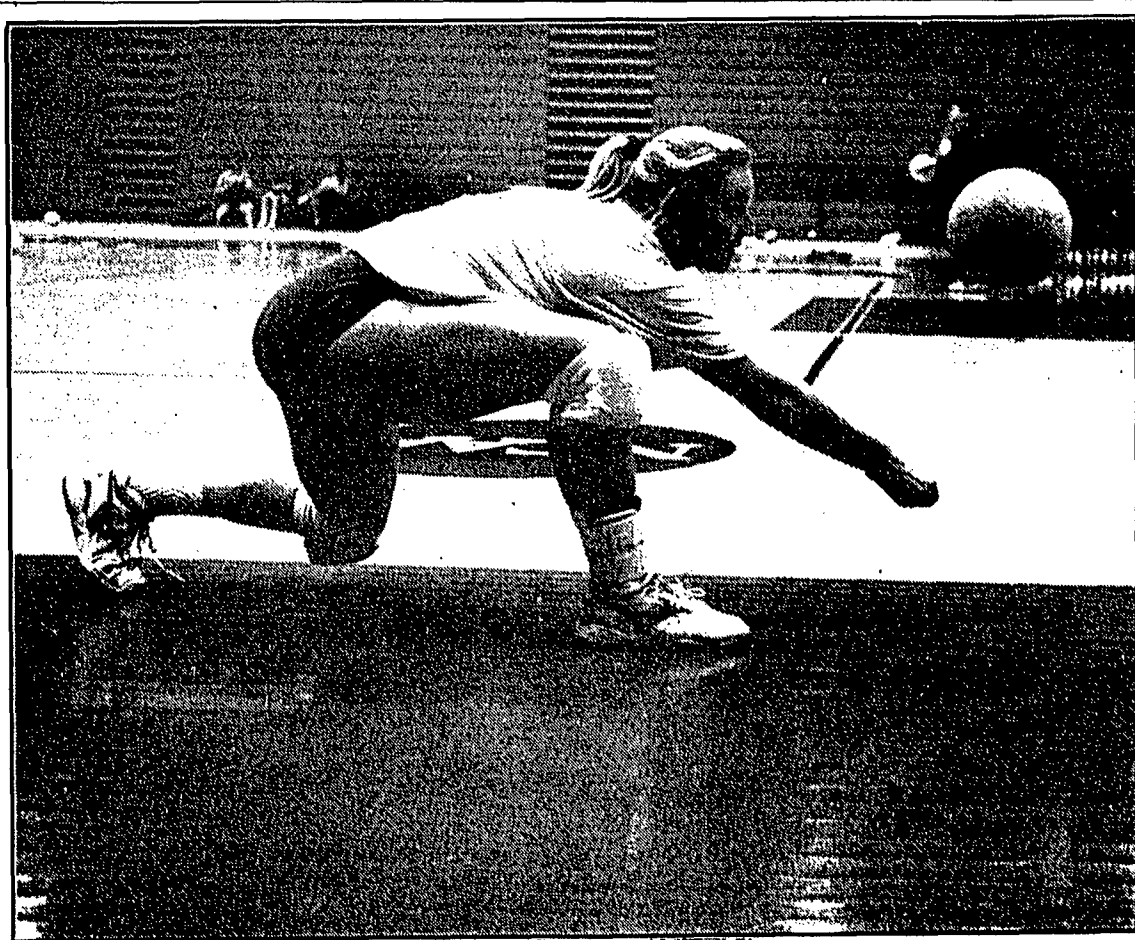
## When the Miners have the ball



## When the 'Cats have the ball



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JENNIFER PITTRICH PRACTICES digging serves during practice. The Bears will face four teams in the MIAA conference this weekend. This will be the first of two MIAA Conference Round Robin tournaments.

SARAH ELLIOTT/Northwest Missourian

## Spikers overcome key injury, burn Flames

By CARRIE PAULSON  
 MISSOURIAN STAFF

Despite losing a key player to injury this week, the Bears rallied over the College of St. Mary Lady Flames Wednesday, 18-16, 15-6 and 15-5, to bring their overall record to 18-3.

Freshman outside hitter Suzi Fabian did not play in the game because of an injury to her leg. After initial examinations, the injury was thought to be a blood clot, but as of press time, the condition was unknown, pending test results.

According to head coach Sarah Pelster, sophomore middle hitter Annie Fraundorfer replaced Fabian and filled an outside hitter position.

"Annie stepped in and did a good job," Pelster said. "She is becoming more consistent as a hitter."

Freshman setter Sarah Pelster came in to play as a defensive specialist.

Sophomore setter Jennifer Pitttrich led in assists with 39, which moved her into third in the all-time career assists list. She now has a total of 1,856 career assists.

Freshman middle hitter Diann Davis

racked up 16 kills to lead the 'Cats.

Sophomore middle hitter Hayley Hanson followed closely with 10 kills.

Defensively, sophomore defensive specialist Heather Potts led the Bears.

The team will travel to Warrensburg, Mo., this weekend to face Northeast Missouri State University and Southwest Baptist University on Friday.

Saturday they will play Emporia State University and Central Missouri State University in the first of two MIAA tournaments. Emporia already owns a victory over the 'Cats early this season.



# ROLLER HOCKEY



DAVE DANER SLIDES the ball down the rink as Scott Norhen, Mike Essen and Corey Steenhoek follow. The Northwest Roller Hockey Club intends to schedule matches against other Midwest colleges such as Northeast Missouri State University and Kansas State University.

JON BRITTON/Northwest Missourian

## Ice sport hits concrete

### Roller hockey skates into 'Ville

By TRAVIS DIMMITT  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

It is 9 p.m. on a Sunday night in Maryville. A steady downpour that has been increasing in ferocity since early evening is convincing many people to call it a night.

However, for members of the Northwest Roller Hockey Club the night is just beginning.

Through the rain one can see headlights of cars belonging to club members pull up and park at Skate Country, about a mile north of town.

For a time, nothing happens.

Then club President Ray Dinkins arrives and unlocks the door to the skating facility. People with in-line skates and hockey sticks begin to emerge from their cars, braving the rain to dash inside.

The club, founded in 1991 by a collection of dedicated in-line skaters who played hockey in empty parking lots, has come a long way.

From its five original members, the club has grown to boast a membership of 30, a sizable increase. It also boasts a facility that is considerably better than any parking lot.

Skate Country certainly is not as fancy as Chicago Stadium or the Great Western Forum, but to the club, the cost-efficient rink is akin to Mecca.

Rather obviously, roller hockey is exactly what it sounds like — hockey on a non-ice surface using in-line skates. The sport is developing a following not only at Northwest, but across the country.

At 10 minutes past nine, club members have laced up their in-line skates, taken hockey sticks in hand and begin the skate around, a ritual used to loosen themselves up before the hockey game.

The players practice centering passes and breakaway goals, as speakers in the background blare the latest alternative music.

"Don't forget, no slapshots," Dinkins yells, referring to a type of shot in which the stick is brought above waist level before the actual shooting motion. The club frowns on this action because it has the potential to inflict tremendous injury.

"Also, there's a wet spot in the far corner, so watch out," Dinkins adds. Several players look in the direction Dinkins points, making mental notes to take it easy on that particular section of the floor.

The music is suddenly stilled and club treasurer, John Goecker, calls the players rinkside for a brief meeting. Discussion tonight centers on buying team jerseys to give the club a sense of recognition.

"It's 50 bucks for a jersey and you must have 25

of that by next Sunday," Goecker says.

The jersey design looks distinctly like that of the old Minnesota North Stars — white with black and green stripes, a capital "N" in a centered circle on the front and the player's name and number on the back.

The music resumes and the players divide into teams for the impending game. The ball that will be used to play tonight's game is placed at center rink.

"We use a ball because it's softer than a puck," Dinkins said. "A puck can cut you or really hurt you if it hits you in the head. A ball can't do that."

Sticks then crash together and the game begins.

The game becomes surprisingly intense. Players smash each other against the boards with the aggressor often emerging with a slight grin on his face. Cries of "Center! Center!" resound above the din of the music. However, the aggressiveness disappears when the players leave the floor.

"We're not out here to hurt anybody," Dinkins says. "We throw elbows, maybe check somebody, but that's all part of the game. All of that stuff is forgotten as soon as we're done playing."

No, the members of the Northwest Roller Hockey Club are not out to hurt anyone. In fact, the attitude is quite contrary.

One of the club's primary goals is to promote and advance their sport. Dinkins says the players have discussed a kids' hockey club.

"Chuck (Downey, Skate Country manager) has already OK'd it, Dinkins said. We'd like to do it on Saturday mornings later this fall."

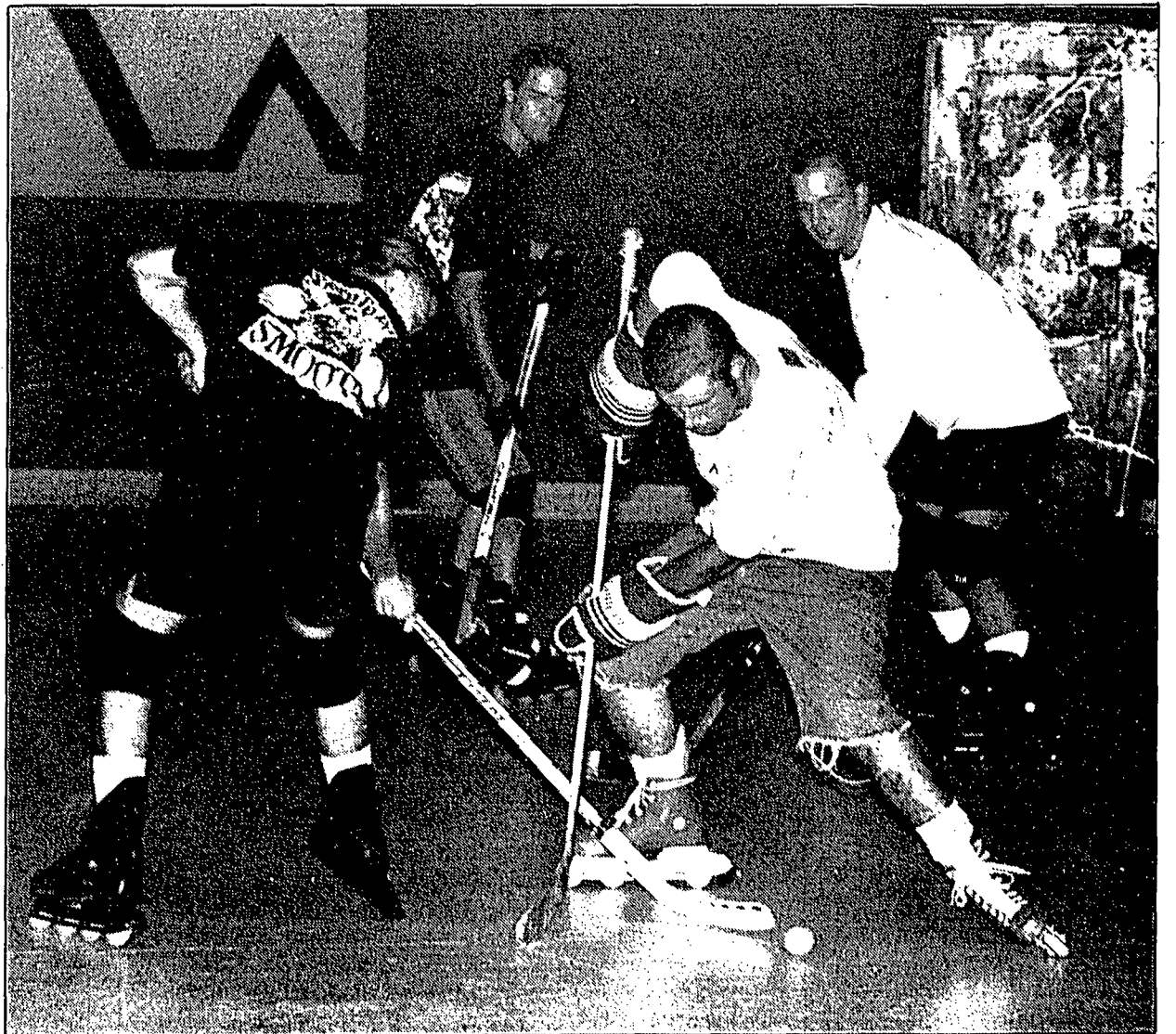
Another goal of the Northwest Roller Hockey Club is to advance its own membership. Interested people are invited to the club's weekly Sunday night meetings. The club does not provide in-line skates.

But, the goal that may require the most effort by the club is the scheduling of matches against other colleges. Players said they wish to have intercollegiate matches against schools like Northeast Missouri State University and Kansas State University.

"We're really excited about traveling to take on other schools," Dinkins says. "That would be great."

Back on the rink, a player goes down and is almost immediately helped up by the same man who slammed him into the boards moments ago. This action demonstrates that the Northwest Roller Hockey Club has gone beyond the regular Sunday meetings.

From the rough play many new friendships have emerged, all with a common bond — roller hockey. "We all love hockey. It's a passion," Dinkins says. "It's fun for all of us."



JON BRITTON/Northwest Missourian

COREY STEENHOEK AND Warren Van Dever scramble for the ball at the start of a hockey game. The Roller Hockey club was formed in 1991 by five in-line skaters with the intention of promoting the sport.

### In-line skating more than just exercise

By TRAVIS DIMMITT  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

In-line skating has its beginnings in the town of Eden Prairie, Minn. It was here in 1979 that semipro hockey player Scott Olson received his inspiration.

Olson, then only 19 years old, came up with an in-line skate that was used to help hockey players practice in the off-season.

In 1980, with product in hand, Olson formed Rollerblade Inc. By 1981 he had left his playing career behind him in order to market this new product.

Minneapolis investor Robert Naegle Jr. bought Olson out in the mid-'80s. Naegle then hired Mary Horwath as promotion director in 1987, and rollerblading began to take off all across the United States.

Today, an estimated 3.6 million Americans enjoy in-line skating. However, many who enjoy the sport do not seem to realize what harm could come to them if they fail to take adequate safety precautions, according to *U.S. News & World Report*.

Fiberglass helmets, knee pads, wrist and elbow guards are considered standard safety equipment when using in-line skates. Many injuries received by skaters, including anything from a scraped knee to serious head trauma, could be avoided if these pieces of equipment were used more often.

In-line skating is also a fun way to exercise. It can strengthen muscles ranging from heart to the buttocks and lower torso.

Many joggers and racquetball players have turned to in-line skating because of the freedom and scenery involved. Scenery that ex-hockey player Olson probably never dreamed.



## Tennis team competes in regional tournament

By JASON TARWATER  
ASSISTANT EDITOR

The Northwest men's tennis team took to the court at the Rolex Intercollegiate Midwest Regional Tournament this weekend on campus.

Senior Eduardo Jarolim advanced to the semi-finals and sophomore Jony Leitenbauer made it to the quarterfinals before elimination.

Tennis head coach Mark Rosewell was pleased with his team's performance in the tournament. "There were 52 individual competitors and 26 doubles teams," Rosewell said. "Getting two people into the quarters with one of them getting to semis is really good for this tournament."

Jarolim, the tournament's No. 2 seed, started with a first-round bye.

After that, he finished off three consecutive opponents without dropping a set.

He then lost a three-set match to Jason White of Cameron University in the semifinals on Sunday. White went on to win the tournament.

"It's kind of depressing since it was such a close match and he went on to win," Jarolim said.

Leitenbauer, the No. 3 seed, also had a first-round bye. He then proceeded to beat the next two players he faced before losing a three-set match to Jesse Sherer of Washburn University in the quarterfinals on Saturday.

Leitenbauer and Jarolim were not the only Northwest players who performed well.

Sophomore Trystan Crook and senior Jeremy Gump both got to the round of 16 before elimi-

nation by Adly ElShafei of Southwest Baptist University, the No. 1 seed who placed second in the tournament, and Sherer, the No. 8 seed, respectively.

"I don't think I played my best, but I don't feel too bad losing to Adly because he is a great player," Crook said.

According to Rosewell, the whole team performed near the top of the tournament.

"This is an individual tournament so we weren't keeping team points, but had we been keeping track, I think we would have been leading the tournament," Rosewell said.

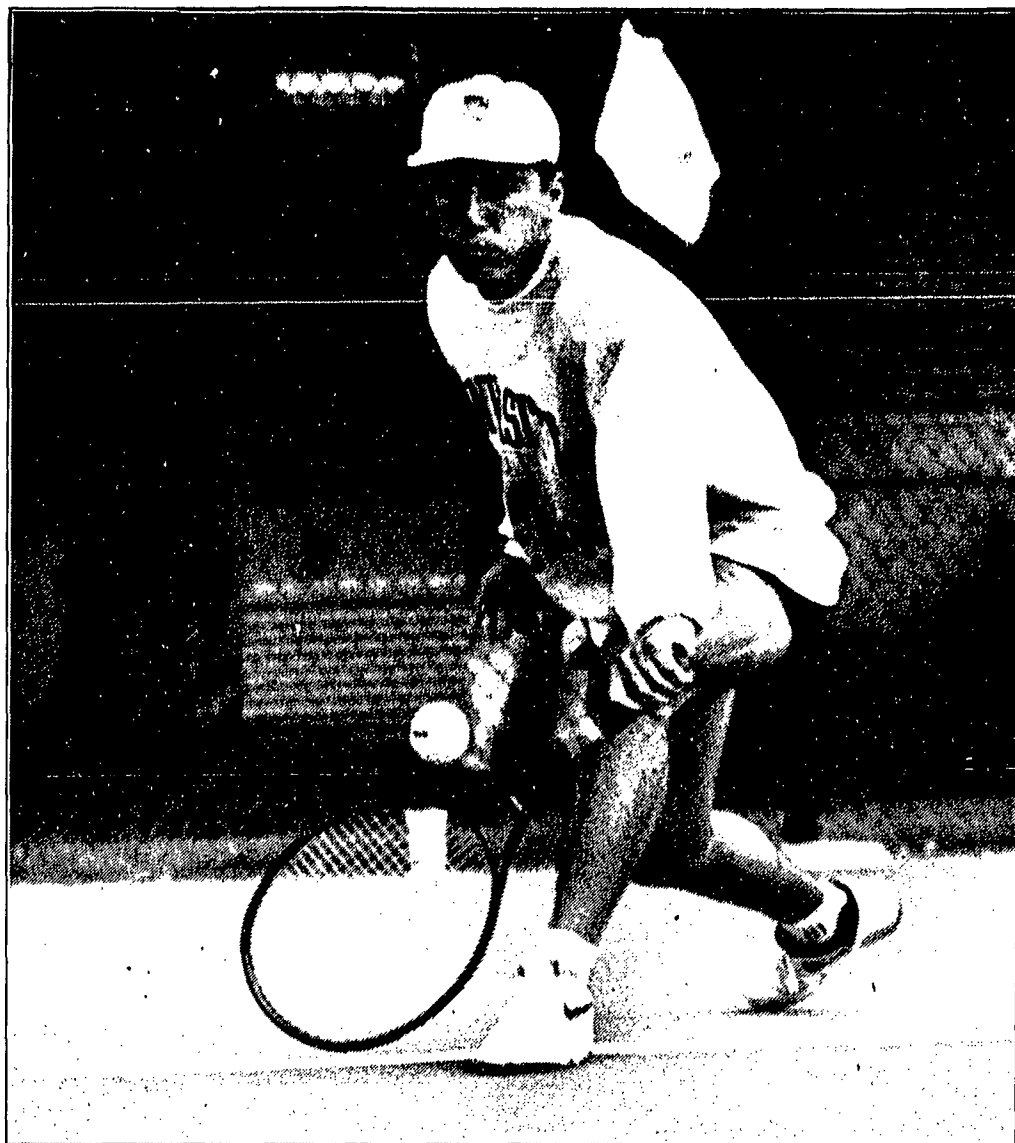
In doubles play, the team did not fare as well as the individuals, with only two teams making it to the quarterfinals and another two getting knocked out in the second round.

The team of Jarolim and sophomore Nick McFee lost in the quarterfinals to ElShafei and Pankaj Monga from SBU, the No. 2 seeded team. The SBU duo won the doubles title.

Crook and sophomore Mike Pesenti lost to the team of Aaron Crook, Trystan's twin brother, and Matt Watson of Washburn in the quarterfinals.

Sophomore Brandt Bermudez and sophomore Ted Carino won their first-round match, but were then eliminated by the team of Sherer and Santiago Geraldo of Washburn.

Leitenbauer teamed up with junior Dave Mendez and advanced to the second round before losing a three-set match to White and Keith Howard of Cameron.



THE NO. 2 SEED, Eduardo Jarolim back hands a return from his opponent Jason White, Camron University, in the semi-finals of the Midwest Region of the Rolex Tournament.

JACK VAUGHT/Contributing Photographer

## Harriers take 1st at invite

Women's team finishes Division I meet on top, men's team places 2nd

By MATT MARCKMANN  
MISSOURIAN STAFF

The Northwest women's cross country team blazed its way to another first-place team finish, while the men brought home second place from the University of Arkansas-Little Rock/Quapaw Links Cross Country Invitational Saturday.

The Bearcat harriers hope to continue their success as they travel to Emporia, Kan., Oct. 22 for the MIAA Championships.

The women earned their second team victory of the year, scoring a meet low 26 points. This score beat out Division I schools Arkansas-Little Rock (36) and Memphis University (74). The Northwest women were also ranked second in the Great Lakes Region after the meet.

"I think it was our best meet of the year," Ron DeShon, women's head coach said. "We packed together at the start and stayed that way real well."

Freshman Kathy Kearns again led the team, finishing second overall with a time of 18 minutes 51 seconds on the 3.2 mile course.

"The team ran together better than ever before," Kearns said. "We have to keep improving so we can have a chance at the conference title."

Other Bearcat women who had good performances were freshman Carrie Sindelar with a fourth place time of 19:35 and senior Renee Stains who finished in fifth place with 19:35.

"I think our team improved because we ran closer together," freshman Jennifer Miller said.

The Northwest men's team finished second in the meet to Division I host school Arkansas-Little Rock.

"We stayed together well at this meet and need to do the same thing at the conference meet," Richard Alsop, men's head coach, said.

Sophomore Doc Harris led the team, finishing eighth with a time of 27:47 on the 8K course. Freshman Steve Marotti and senior Shannon Wheeler finished less than 20 seconds behind Harris.

"We're getting better and more consistent, but we need to continue to improve," Wheeler said.

## Soccer club begins planning games

By JASON TARWATER  
ASSISTANT EDITOR

After almost 15 years of existence, the Northwest soccer club knows its agenda, according to club Vice President Preston Leftwich.

"We want to keep the interest in soccer alive here at Northwest," Leftwich said.

There are close to 30 members in the club, and they try to stay active.

"We wanted to get into a club league in the central states that has schools like the University of Kansas, Kansas State University and other Big Eight schools in it, but we missed the deadline," Leftwich said.

Like Northwest, these schools do not have a varsity team, but a club where people pay to play.

"It was kind of weird, because all of us in the club played soccer all during high school," Leftwich said. "We came here and felt left out that there was no varsity team."

According to faculty sponsor Jeff

Ferguson, they are also planning games with other schools that do not have varsity teams.

"We're trying to get a game with Missouri's (Columbia) club team," Ferguson said.

The soccer club is planning on having 6-10 games, but right now the Missouri game is the only one with a date set.

They are planning on playing Missouri on the intramural fields Saturday.

Other teams the soccer club would like to play are Tulsa University, Dana College and possibly Emporia State University.

Last year the soccer club played teams such as Missouri Western State College and Concordia College.

The club is also looking into playing in an indoor winter league in Omaha, Neb.

"This league would be a great way to stay in shape during the off-season," Leftwich said.

The Northwest soccer club is not a

recognized varsity sport, thus they do not have a budget and according to member Christian Hornbaker, they are not given any real equipment.

"We have to supply our own equipment except for jerseys," Hornbaker said. "The jerseys are these green long-sleeved shirts that are really hot, too."

The club charges \$10 a semester in dues, which goes toward gas money for carpools to and from games.

"Our farthest game we've had to travel to is Tulsa (Okla.) so it's not really that bad," Leftwich said.

The soccer club practices Monday through Thursday every week on the practice field next to the baseball fields.

"We warm up, jog a couple of laps, run drills and scrimmage a lot," Hornbaker said. "It's a great way to get to know people and we have a lot of fun."

For more information about the Northwest Soccer Club, contact either of the advisers, Bayo Oludaja or Jeff Ferguson. Membership is open to all.



YASUTOSHI YOKOCHI USES his head to pass the ball during a soccer club practice. The club practices every Monday through Thursday.

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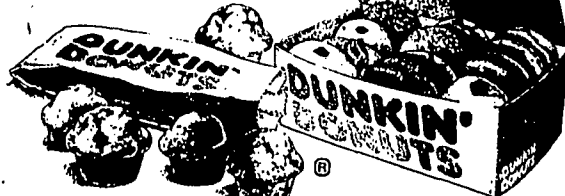
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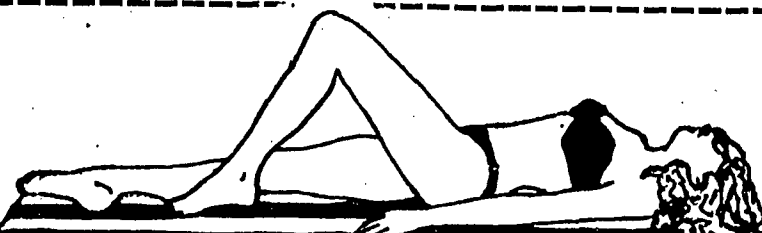
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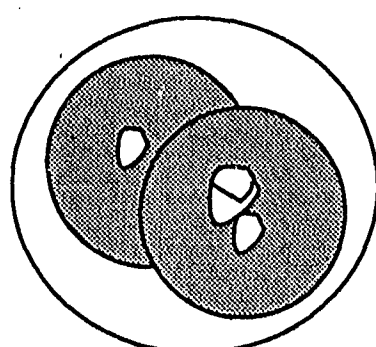
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# New book informs public on reproductive rights

Psychology professor examines major issues concerning sexual roles

By CHRISTIE HOWELL  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

There are two kinds of light - the glow that illuminates, and the glare that obscures, James Thurber said.

There seems to be such a glare on women's reproductive rights.

However, Cheryl Meyer, assistant psychology professor, is shedding her light on this topic. Her book, expected to be out next summer, brings this issue out of obscurity and into focus.

"The book grows out of concern for women," Meyer said. "Women live in a fairly uninformed environment with a lack of information from a number of sources - government being one of those."

During law school, Meyer worked for a medical malpractice attorney as a research assistant. It was not until her second year of law school, when she taught a human sexuality course and took classes in Feminist Jurisprudence and Women and the Law, that her interests in reproductive issues began to mesh with her law experience.

"All of a sudden these interests started to come together and I started to get interested in reproductive rights of women," Meyer said.

She was learning about it in law school, teaching about it in the human sexuality course and researching it for suits that dealt with obstetric and gynecological complications.

ecological complications.

"It dawned on me that I could take all this information and put it together and this might be my area of expertise," Meyer said.

She began taking seminars that would help her write a paper on women's issues, and reproductive issues, Meyer then realized that all her papers were connected.

"Mothers in prison and their custody had a lot to do with video display terminals and reproductive complications, because it all had to do with women's reproduction and women's reproductive rights," she said.

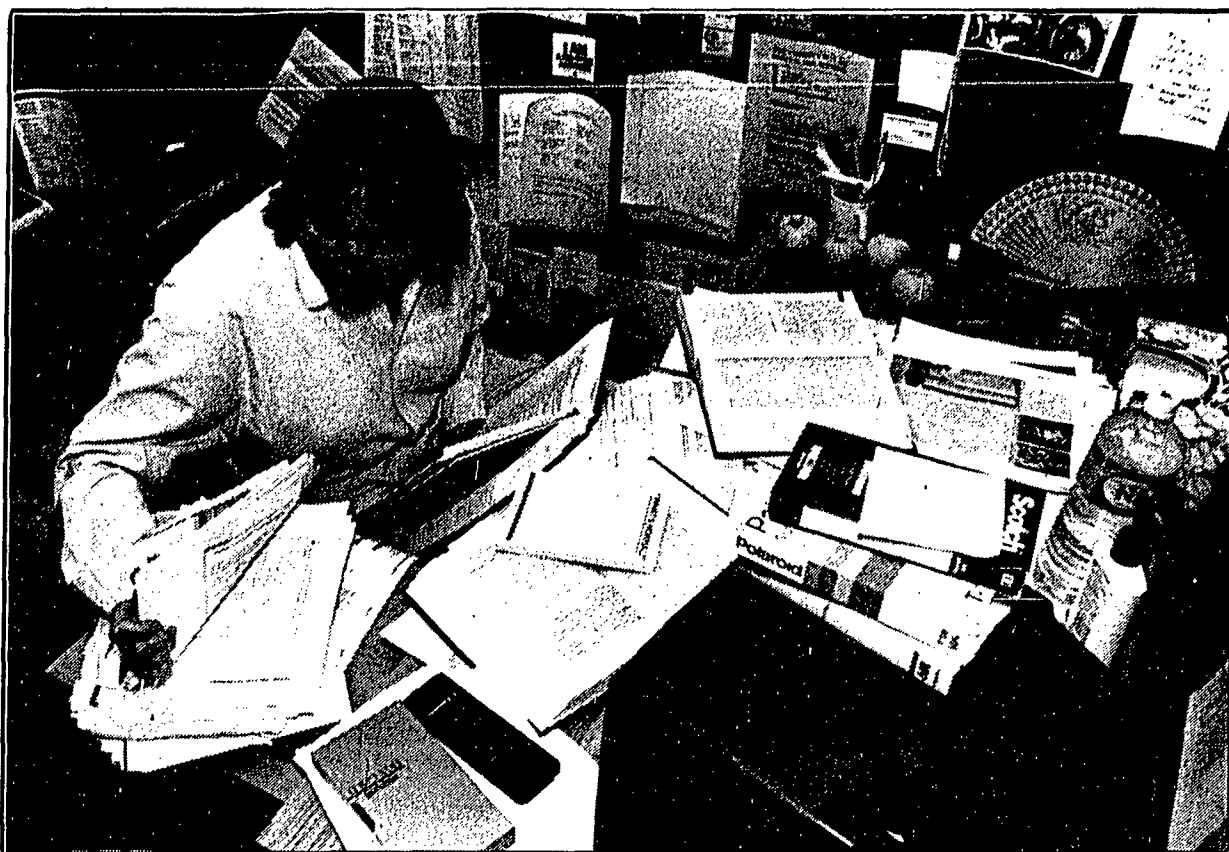
Last year Meyer attended the American Psychological Association Convention and found herself walking from booth to booth searching for something on women's health.

As she continued her search she mentioned to people at the booths, representing some of the most prestigious publishers in the country, about her ideas for a book on reproductive rights. Immediately she was flooded with a sea of business cards from people who expressed interest in her topic.

One Saturday her proposal went out regular mail and within two weeks she had an offer. In the end, she decided to go with a scholarly press.

Meyer's book incorporates law, psychology and medicine. It is broken down into three subgroups: preconceptual issues, issues during pregnancy and post-natal issues.

One issue that became a concern for Meyer was the possible effects of



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ASSISTANT PSYCHOLOGY PROFESSOR, Cheryl Meyer looks up research in her office for her new book. Meyer's book focuses on women's reproductive rights. Her book will be available next summer.

video computer terminals have on women's reproductive capacity.

She admits that research on this topic is mixed. Researchers do not know if Video Display Terminals have harmful effects on reproduction.

"What I found even more interesting was, if we had a health hazard that

we weren't sure of and we thought that it might have effects we would have regulated it," she said. "Why don't we have emissions standards for VDTs like we do for TVs and VCRs?"

Possible VDT hazards unevenly affect women because more women have jobs that require them to spend

extensive amounts of time in front of computer terminals, Meyer said.

Another of the disparities between men and women is the issue of sperm donor vs. egg donor.

Legislation in Louisiana, England and the American Fertility Society, have come up with guidelines.

According to Meyer, these legislations said "women should not be paid as egg donors, but it is all right to pay men as sperm donors."

"They keep saying the same thing, women should do it because they are altruistic and they don't want to pay women because they don't want it to turn into a baby brokerage," she said.

Meyer believes it makes more sense to pay women because they have to go through a much more invasive process to harvest the eggs.


In the same light, Meyer thinks the parents in prison and custody issue is such that women will often lose custody and men will not, because women are perceived as bad mothers.

Meyer said it is no surprise to her that these oppressive views still prevail when men like Marion Simms, who is considered the father of modern Ob/Gyn, is seen as a "great guy" by doctors.

Simms discovered a cure for a vesicovaginal fistula, which is a hole in the vaginal wall often due to use of forceps during childbirth. To do this, Simms used slaves for experiments who could no longer have children.

Meyer hopes that her book will bring the disparities of women's reproductive issues to light and help women make more informed choices.

"The book has the potential to be a major catalyst for change in the women's health movement," Laura Markway, Meyer's graduate assistant, said. "She integrates facts from many different fields for a more comprehensive look at the issues."




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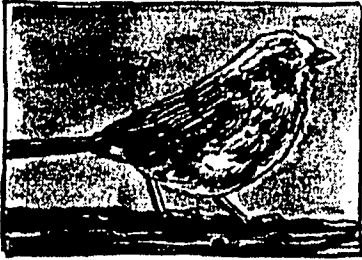
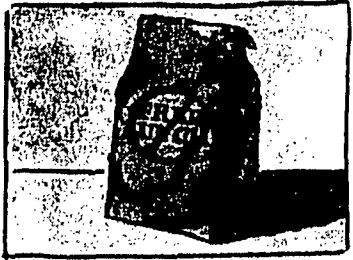
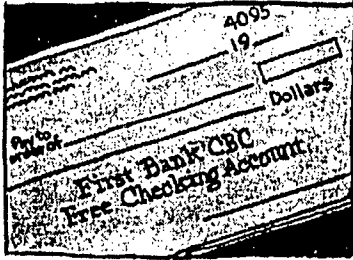
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## Movie boasts good acting; lacks depth

### 'Quiz Show'

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Hollywood Pictures  
Stars: Ralph Fiennes, Rob Morrow, John Turturro  
Director: Robert Redford  
Rating: PG-13  
Reviewer: Fay Dahlquist



Hollywood Pictures

Out of a time when families sat down to watch their favorite television programs together, when people believed what they saw and wanted more of it, comes a story of deceit and cover-up.

"Quiz Show" is a drama that tells one of the most important pieces of media history as it depicts the story of the 1958 quiz show scandals.

There are a few things to expect from "Quiz Show" such as good acting, humor, a good depiction of the 1950s era and nostalgic television history.

Even with all these good qualities, there is a missing link that leaves moviegoers feeling flat and wanting the movie to come to a close really fast.

The movie, directed by Robert Redford, shows how important television was to the American public. People ran home and stood outside of people's homes to peer in the window just to get a glimpse of TV programming.

In the movie Herbie Stempel, played by John Turturro who, before appearing on *Twenty-One* was the town nerd, became the town celebrity after spending nine weeks on the show.

Stempel's celebrity life came to a screeching halt when he answered a question incorrectly.

Charles Van Doren, played by Ralph

CONTESTANTS CHARLES VAN Doren (Ralph Fiennes) and Herbert Stempel (John Turturro) play a rigged game show in "Quiz Show," a movie directed by Robert Redford about quiz show scandals of the '50s.

Fiennes, a young Columbia literature professor from a well-known family, stepped in the limelight. Van Doren had the looks that the producers of the show were looking for, a look they thought would boost ratings.

Compared to Stempel, Van Doren gets more media and public attention, which made Stempel even angrier.

Stempel based his life on his television appearances and when they didn't come, he got angry and decided to sue the network for lying to the viewers.

"Quiz Show" is Fiennes' follow up to the Oscar award-winning "Schindler's List," for which he got a nomination for best supporting actor.

Fiennes' character in "Quiz Show" is similar to his character, in "Schindler's List." As a Nazi who enjoyed shooting Jews when they least expected it and slapping the women he loved, Fiennes brought a strange likability through his horrific actions.

The problem with this movie is that the audience is yo-yoed back and forth between feeling sorry for Van Doren and Stempel.

The audience never knows when they should feel bad for Stempel, the annoying nerd from the Bronx, or for Van Doren, the charismatic Columbia professor.

On one hand, there is Stempel who

did not get what he thought he deserved. On the other hand, there is Van Doren who lived in the shadow of his famous father and shot to instant fame. In the end, he knew what he had been doing was immoral.

In the beginning of "Quiz Show," the audience finds themselves caring about Stempel and Van Doren and their inner conflicts between right and wrong.

But, after an over two-hour movie in which the audience listens to these people complain about racial and money problems, audience members may find themselves not giving a hoot about the characters.

### THE STROLLER



**Yours Truly loves season; laments lack of Homecoming participation**

## Your Man revels in simple pleasures of autumn

Autumn is Your Man's favorite season of the year.

The leaves begin to change color, then fall.

The wonderful cold, misty smell that fills the air makes me think of hot chocolate, sweaters, fires and staying in bed every single morning even though you should go to class.

Your Man also thinks of Monday Night Football, the Hula Bowl, Orange Bowl and the occasion Northwest is celebrating this weekend: Homecoming.

Boy, do I love Homecoming weekend and all the festivities that are incorporated with it like the variety show and the parade.

Houses are decorated, spirits are high and alumni, especially those special friends of mine, come back to

drink a few with Your Man.

Besides the football game, my favorite activity is going to the bars and the parties, half of which I do not remember the next day.

But one thing that does disturb Your Man about Homecoming weekend is that most people forget what it is all about.

They get so involved with Walkout Day and being drunk for three straight days that they forget about cheering on the home team at the football game, which is the big event of Homecoming.

In the past I have seen more students, faculty/staff, alumni and Maryville locals at the parade than at the football game.

Your Man thinks Homecoming is nothing without the football game,

whether the Bearcats win or lose.

Then there are those students that think they will be bored during the weekend because they have nothing to do with the Homecoming festivities.

They think they have nothing to do but go home. They don't even try to get involved.

Not only will this weekend be known as Homecoming, but Your man is declaring this weekend National Litter Weekend.

In April, there is a week totally dedicated to cleaning up the environment and picking up litter and recycling.

Then everyone goes and throws all that hard work down the drain on Homecoming weekend.

They throw beer bottles and cans,

pomp from various floats, food containers and other various pieces of litter on the streets, on other peoples property and everywhere else in between.

This litter problem greatly upsets Your Man, especially during his favorite time of year. Why should Homecoming be different than any other time of the year.

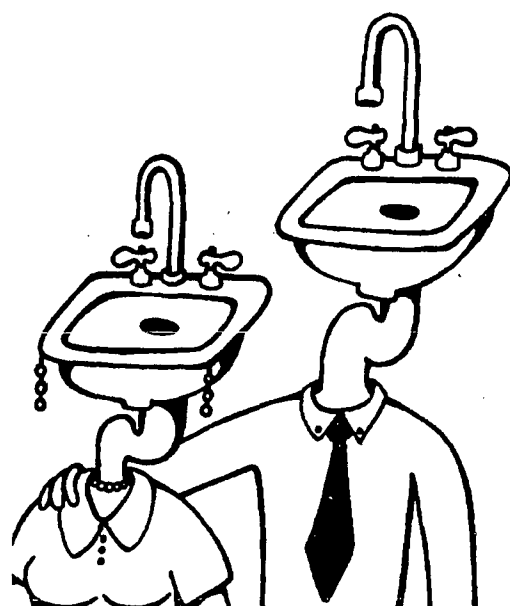
So try and remember while at the Homecoming parade Saturday morning, do not throw garbage on the ground. It makes for an ugly town and an ugly campus.

Perhaps a wise owl named Woodsy said it best when he uttered those five little words.

Give a hoot, don't pollute.

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